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Weather
Cloudy but rather fine. The maximum temperature yesterday was 82.6 and the minimum 62.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 77.7 and 67.5.

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. McKinley, Oct. 4.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Taft, 5 p.m. today.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Amboise, 8 a.m. tomorrow.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Angers, Sept 29.

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COTTON

Politics Involved Handicap of Unrest This Year's Crop Greater Production

IT is doubtful whether the Chinese cotton industry has ever passed through a more difficult period than that of the past six months. To say that the season just closed has been one of utter despair would, however, scarcely be justifiable. Constant failure to secure orders for yarn, especially remunerative orders, cannot fail to depress, but those who look ahead are hopeful that in the near future a change for the better will be experienced. There is at any rate no disposition to pitch expectations too high. The prosperity of the spinning and weaving industry in China is so indissolubly bound up with the political state of the country and the various factors that from time to time go to upset the business equilibrium of merchant and buyers and sellers that it would be idle to speculate or say with any degree of assurance what the new season which is just opening is going to be.

The extent of the improvement in the position depends largely on the nature of the buying for cotton yarn from the interior and this in turn is governed largely by the tranquility or otherwise of the country. Owing to the abstention from buying on the part of the upcountry centers in the past season, it would seem that the chances of doing a roaring trade are immense, provided, of course, the interior marts are not terrified once again by the swash-buckling antics of the tuchuns. This is indeed the most serious factor in the whole situation, and, therefore makes the outlook somewhat hazy. With peaceful China, the cotton mills in Shanghai and other parts of the country could do a large trade and pay fat dividends to their shareholders. Internal unrest is a serious handicap to the distribution of goods, and this the spinning mills have been feeling for a long time.

NO FLOOD DAMAGE

Fortunately the cotton crop of China this year has seen little or no damage done by typhoons or floods. How much better the yield will turn out to be it is impossible to say, as the agricultural department does not go to the expense of collating statistics and issuing forecasts. The general belief is that it will be better than last season, and the quality is spoken of as an improvement on the previous crop. The area cultivated under cotton this year in China shows a small expansion, and unless its cultivation is taken up more extensively by the Chinese farmers it would seem that the cotton mills in China must seek their raw material in India and America.

There are 38 mills distributed throughout the country, and even with good yields they are obliged to draw on India and America for supplies of the raw product. The question of putting more land under cotton is an important one, and until it is actively taken up the development of cotton mills must be retarded to a great extent. The mills at present in existence have some 2,859,328 spindles and these have to be satisfied with a production of some 4½ million piculs of Chinese cotton, the estimated yield of 1922.

PRODUCTION FALLS

The production of cotton during the past five years has been steadily decreasing. In 1918 it stood at some 10¼ million piculs, in the following year it has dropped to 9,316,390 piculs, while in 1920 the drop was more serious, the yield in that year being only 6,750,403 piculs. In 1921 it had gone lower, being returned at 5,438,220 piculs, while last season it is estimated that the production could not have been more than 4½ million piculs. It can be seen at a glance that while the cotton spinning and weaving industry in China has expanded rapidly in recent years the production of Chinese cotton has gone the other way, registering very serious decreases. The local industry depends on its prosperity for cheap supplies of indigenous cotton, and the problem of securing this is a grave one for all the mills at the present time. The cotton crop of the country is inadequate to feed the present number of spindles operating in China and only points to the fact that larger importations of foreign cotton will have to be made.

EXPORTS ARE LARGE

The area sown to cotton in China has also been shrinking. For instance, in 1919, 31,559,881 mow of land were under cotton; in 1920 there were only 28,327,297 mow and in 1921 28,216,438 mow. The only way to make cotton spindles in China independent of outside sources of supply would be to bring the yield of Chinese cotton up to 12 million piculs a year. It is hoped that the Chinese authorities will be roused to recognise the seriousness of the problem and some attempt made to educate the

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TWO FOREIGN WOMEN HELD BY BANDITS IN HONAN, REPORT

Misses M. Darroch And M. R. Sharp Victims

DETAILS LACKING

Mission Here Anxiously Awaiting Further Word

Two foreign missionary ladies, one of them well known here, have been taken captive and are being held in the latest bandit outrage, according to meagre dispatches reaching Shanghai from Honan.

The messages, received here by the China Inland Mission, bring word that Miss M. Darroch, a sister of Dr. John Darroch, and Miss M. R. Sharp have been seized by an outlaw band which is believed to have captured and sacked the city of Sihwahsien, in one of the most thickly populated districts of Honan.

The first message regarding the outrage came from Chowkiakow and stated that the raid occurred on September 23. Sihwahsien lies between Yenchenghsien, which is on the Peking-Hankow railway line, and Chowkiakow, being only about five or six kilometers from the former place.

No details of the capture of the two ladies have as yet been received by the Mission offices here and further word regarding them is being awaited anxiously.

Miss Darroch, who has been in China for some twenty-five years, is a native of Scotland, and though she has not resided in Shanghai, is well known to many local residents. Her brother, Dr. John Darroch, is at present at home on leave.

Miss Sharp is an Australian lady who has been in China for several years.

Fall Of Chungking Is Believed Near

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 26.—It is reported that the first Szechuen Army was approaching Hutehkuan, near Chungking, on September 23. The Second Army is splitting up into small bodies and retiring down river. The fall of Chungking is momentarily expected.

Smith And Hansen Are Acquitted On Alleged Armed Robbery Charge

Judge Lobingier Rules Identification Inadequate And Guilt Not Proven; Both Released From Jail

Knute Hansen, heavyweight champion of the Far East and Capt. Matty Smith, formerly an officer in the Australian overseas forces, and Hansen's manager, were acquitted of charges of armed robbery by Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier in the United States Court for China yesterday afternoon. Hansen and Smith, who have been held in jail since their arrest on the night of August 20, were released just after tiffin.

A similar charge of armed robbery was made against Samuel R. Gaynor, an employee of the Shanghai Waterworks and formerly a special reserve policeman, but he left Shanghai before the trial. Mr. George Sellet, who successfully defended Hansen and Smith, asked that Gaynor's name be struck off the charge, but was over-ruled by Judge Lobingier, and the charge against him will be prosecuted in the event he is again apprehended, according to Special U. S. District Attorney C. P. Holcomb, who prosecuted.

The trial attracted a great deal of attention because of Hansen's and Smith's notoriety in local boxing circles, both having appeared at the Stadium. A large number of Custom's men were also in attendance.

THE VERDICT

Judge Lobingier, in acquitting the men, said:

This is a prosecution for robbery alleged to have been committed on August 20, 1923, at 11 King Loong Ka, at Shanghai. The first named defendant failed to appear when the case was called for trial and his bond is accordingly forfeited. The other two, appeared, pleaded not guilty, and will hereafter be referred to as the defendants.

Two witnesses were called from each of the shops where the robbery occurred, but only one of these attempted to identify the accused as having participated in the affair. Three chauffeurs testified to having carried both Chinese and foreign passengers to and from the scene of the robbery, but none of them identify the accused. In fact out of more than one dozen witnesses called for the prosecution, the shop accountant already referred to is the only one who testified to such identification. He says that the raid occurred about 7:30 p.m. and the chauffeur, who states that he carried two foreigners from the Customs Club, where it is conceded the defendants lived, says he arrived there about 7.20 and it is to be inferred that he left immediately. But an apparently reliable and disinterested witness (Keane) testifies that he was talking with both accused in the hall of the Customs Club for about five minutes after 7.30 and that he saw no automobiles. He is more than corroborated by the Club watchman, called by the prosecution, who states that he saw the accused leave that place alone at 7.45.

After perpetrating their crime the robbers, according to the prosecution's testimony, departed to No. 18 Studley Avenue, said to be the residence of defendant Gaynor, where some of the loot and

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KEARNEY TRIAL BEGINS IN U. S. COURT TODAY

First Arms Case Involves Alleged Nanking Deal

The first of a series of cases in which Americans are charged with the importation of arms and munitions of war will begin in the United States Court for China this morning when Captain L. D. Kearney, alleged ring-leader in a ring of gun-runners, appears before Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier.

Capt. Kearney will be prosecuted by U. S. District Attorney Leonard G. Husar, and will be defended by Mr. C. S. Franklin, on the charge that on certain days last November he conspired with Admiral Starck, commander of the so-called "portless fleet" anchored off Woosung, and others, to buy and import certain guns and shells and other munitions of war, and later sold them to Chinese officials at Nanking.

Capt. Kearney is also out on bail on another charge of similar nature in which he is charged with having purchased Russian arms in Korea and sold them in Hangchow, and will be tried on the second charge as soon after the trial beginning this morning ends as possible.

Numerous witnesses will be called by both the prosecution and the defense and the trial is expected to occupy two, and possibly, three days. Because of the great interest that has been shown in the arrests of Captain Kearney and other alleged gunrunners it is expected the courtroom will be crowded to capacity when it opens at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Council Takes Firm Stand With Tramway Company On Fare Increase Question

Another request by the Tramways Company for permission to put the proposed fare increase into effect immediately has met with a firm refusal by the Council, as shown in further correspondence on this subject appearing in today's Municipal Gazette.

The company's first plan was to put the increase into effect on September 16, as reported in last week's Gazette. The later request was for permission to bring the new scale into effect on October 1. The Council in its reply maintains the position that at least three months' notice are required in accordance with the Tramways Agreement with a further fifteen days' notice to the public.

The letters follow:

Shanghai, Sept. 20, 1923.

Sir.—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 2533 of 10th instant in reply to mine of August 30. The letter made clear that during the five years 1915 to 1919 the depreciation of copper coinage averaged about 25 percent, and that during these years, the net fares obtained were below the scale authorised in clause 22 of the Concession Agreement. It also made clear that the proposed average charges per mile in both classes would only partly offset the increased depreciation of coinage which has since taken place, this increase being 25 percent as shown on page 2 of my letter above referred to. In submitting the proposed scheme of revisions to the Council for introduction on 16th instant, I assumed, as hitherto, that so long as the net charges were not in excess of those authorised by the Concession Agreement, which is the case, the Council would not suggest delaying their introduction.

Since the rate of depreciation of the coinage was about 25 percent, the prices of materials, rates of wages and other expenses have appreciably increased.

It is desirable to introduce the proposed changes, as soon as possible, with a view to limiting, to some extent, the heavy loading of the cars due to the additional depreciation which, in effect, amounts to a substantial reduction of fares. Under these circumstances, I propose that the new fares should definitely come into force on October 1.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. McColl,
General Manager.
Shanghai Electric Construction Co., Ltd.

E. S. B. Rowe, Esq.,
Acting Secretary,
Municipal Council.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, Sept. 20, 1923.

Sir.—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 18 with further reference to your proposal to increase the existing tramway fares and, in reply, I am directed to inform

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GREECE GUILTY OF NEGLIGENCE, ALLIED FINDING

Italy Insists On Payment Of 50,000,000 Lire Indemnity

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 25.—The Conference of Ambassadors this afternoon considered the inter-Allied Commission's report on the Janina massacre. It is semi-officially stated that the Commission reported that the Greek authorities were guilty of a certain degree of negligence before the crime.

The Italian Ambassador at the Conference, supported by M. Jules Cambon, demanded the payment of 50,000,000 lire before the evacuation of Corfu tomorrow. The Marquess of Crewe preferred to await the result of a more complete enquiry. The Conference adjourned until tomorrow to enable the Marquess of Crewe to obtain instructions from London.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, September 25—The Conference of Ambassadors at the end of this afternoon's sitting took note of the report of the Inter-Allied Commission of Enquiry into the murder of the Italian mission in Epirus. The Conference will continue the discussion tomorrow morning.

LEGISLATORS FACE TROOPS IN OKLAHOMA WAR ON KLAN

Governor Orders Use Of Guardsmen To Block Session

SOLONS DEFIANT

Troopers Are Told To Shoot To Kill, If Necessary

(Reuter's Service)

Oklahoma City, Sept. 25.—Governor Walton has directed Adjutant-General Markham to "use all force and arms if necessary" to prevent the Lower House of the Legislature from holding a session tomorrow. He alleges that the session would be dominated by the Ku Klux Klan, which proposed to impeach him, and says that the troops will be ordered to shoot and kill if necessary in order to prevent an assembly of the House.

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 25.—Governor Walton of Oklahoma has threatened to use the militia in order to prevent the legislative session called for tomorrow to consider his impeachment.

The legislators, however, declare that they will meet tomorrow as previously announced.

Trouble is expected.

Chinese Child Burned To Death In Night Blaze

Two Others Injured In Haiphong Road Outbreak

A Chinese child was burned to death and two others were so seriously injured that they had to be sent to hospital in a fire which broke out in a Chinese house in Haiphong Road near Gordon Road shortly before 9 o'clock last night.

The fire was confined to the one building by Sinza division of the Fire Brigade. The house is one of a new block of buildings near the Hong Yue cotton mills. The Chinese injured were a boy of about 14 and one somewhat older. The boy killed was younger.

A fire of considerable proportions destroyed four or five Chinese houses in Chapel, back of Haskell Road yesterday afternoon. The outbreak was dealt with by the Chapel brigade, though Hongkew Division turned out to render assistance if necessary.

Persian Garrison Killed By Russ In Dispute On Border

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, Sept. 25.—Following a dispute over the delimitation of the Russo-Persian boundary the Russians attacked and killed the Persian garrison of six men at Balyasavar. The Russians, in spite of Persian protests, have occupied Enzeli, in contravention of the Russo-Persian Agreement of 1921, in order to obtain the old Russian concessions.

Russians Charged With Assault On Chinese Constable

Two Russians, Nicholas Korohoff and Ivan M. Zarin, appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with being drunk and disorderly on Avenue Road, the first named being additionally charged with assaulting a Chinese police constable.

According to police testimony the two Russians had been riding aimlessly about in ricshas and the coolies finally deposited them at Sinza police station. Here Korohoff got out and assaulted the gateman.

The case was remanded for a hearing before the Russian Assessor tomorrow.

Urged President To Recognise Mexico

C. D. Warren, Secy Hughes & Judge J. D. Payne

CHARLES Beecher Warren, formerly United States Ambassador to Japan, and Judge John Barton Payne, who were sent to Mexico City to attempt to adjust the differences existing between Mexico and the United States, are shown in Washington, with Secretary of State Charles Evans Hughes, on their way to the White House, where they reported to President Coolidge and urged him to recognise the Obregon Government in Mexico.

It's Open Season Now For The Nimble Alibi

By Irene Corbally Kuhn

Now that they've pulled the starting pistol on the racing season, all over town, simultaneously, the autumn alibi carnival has opened and will soon be in full swing. For every nag that lopes past the winning stand on speedy, spindly legs, there are hundreds of also-rans in the grand stand who begin to tell you how they missed the big dividend even before the lucky guessers' line forms on this side of the paying window.

Shanghai's races furnish the background for some of the most ambitious conversational efforts that ever missed being made into talking records. No other institution since the world began, except possibly the weather and, say, the California climate, offers so much scope to those would-be conversationalists whose spirits and tongues are willing but whose material is low.

Both the fair and the unfair sex partake in the general uproar. But whereas both sexes present at the track are right there with the lingual smooth stuff necessary to butter the bread of defeat or jelly up the cake of success, there are also the absentees who are the motifs for even larger, juicier efforts.

WHERE EFFORTS ENLARGE

I refer to the wives at home.

These worthy ladies never go to the races. Furthermore, they can't understand why husbands do. It is for the benefit of these aforementioned w. 1. that sweating husbands construct some of the most fantastic bewildering excuses that ever tripped off a glib tongue.

Any husband who goes to the races has a back-breaking task before him whether he comes home with large wads of dirty but beautiful money or returns with nothing in his pockets but the lining.

True, if he has been lucky at the track he is likely to be more lucky at home than if he had been unlucky in his betting. In any event, his welcome home is not what it might be if he had spent the afternoon telling early bed time stories to the little ones at the rooms of the Moral Welfare League instead of losing his voice in cheering some mafoo's pride into the home stretch.

The play, ladies and gentlemen, after the rising of the curtain discloses the wife smelling the husband's breath, is something like this:

Wife—"Well, where have you been all afternoon?"

Husband (nervously)—"Now, dearie, just a minute." (More easily, as he finds the roll and extracts it from his pocket)—"See what Daddy brought home!"

W. (successfully snatching fully seven-eighths of it)—"Here, give me that, you're in no condition to be trusted with all that money. Playing mahjongg at the club again, I suppose."

H.—"Well, darling, you see it was like this."

AHA! THE EVIDENCE!

At this critical juncture a sweeps ticket that flivvered flutters to the floor. Then the fun, sport and amusement begin and there is launched another famous apostrophe to the gentle art of lying like a gentleman.

The next scene takes us to the home of one of the unlucky ones who missed 'em all and hasn't even a breath left for an irate wife to sniff. The opening lines are essentially the same as in the foregoing but the business, of course, is different, for hubby has no placating wad to be snatched from him. The climax depends altogether on the temperament and present temper of the lady and on the originality and novelty of the excuse offered.

More diversified but less subtle and intricate are the alibis for not being, and the reasons for being, on the right horse, that are heard after every race.

The crepe de chine sex leads in these horsy post-mortems. The alibis range all the way from a straight-inside tip from the pony itself to a dream the wash-amah had last week. The reasons run up and down the scale from proud declarations that "I've made a thorough study of the races and I keep a dope-book" to the only really honest utterance in the whole category—"Just luck!"

It's a great pastime this qualifying for membership in the Annanais club. It keeps one out in the open air anyway.

BULGAR KING READY TO QUIT LONDON HEARS

Offers His Resignation But It Is Not Accepted; Revolt Spreads

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Sept. 25.—The Morning Post is in receipt of a dispatch from Belgrade which reports that the revolution in Bulgaria has burst into full flame and that the whole country is in the hands of the rebels.

Another dispatch from Belgrade says that King Boris has offered to resign but that his offer has not been accepted.

(Reuter's Service)

Sofia, Sept. 25—It is announced that parties of Communists, numbering 40 to 400, on September 23 attempted to cause trouble in various localities and to proclaim a Soviet Republic, but the troops everywhere remained masters of the situation. The Communists suffered heavy losses, while the casualties of the troops were light.

CHANGSHA FLOATED

(Reuter's Service)

Sydney, Sept. 25.—The China Navigation Company's steamer Changsha, which ran aground 150 miles from Sandakan, has been refloated and arrived at Sandakan today.

SURRENDER IN RUHR TO BE COMPLETE, SAYS BERLIN

No Strings Attached To German Orders

TROUBLE FEARED

Safeguards Taken To Preserve Unity Of Nation

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Sept. 25.—Chancellor Stresemann announced tonight that the government had decided to abandon passive resistance in the Ruhr immediately and unconditionally.

In his announcement, the Chancellor said that it was proposed to resume activities in all lines.

The government's decision is not conditional on the return of Germans deported from the occupied area or the release of imprisoned nationals. These and other disputed points are left to future negotiations between Germany and France.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Sept. 25—It is officially announced that the heads of the States have unanimously agreed to end passive resistance, but at the same time to safeguard unity.

The premiers of the States came to this conclusion owing to inner political and financial reasons, and decided that the unity of the Reich must be maintained and defended against any attempt to destroy it.

The clinching argument which convinced the State Premiers of the futility of continuing the Ruhr fight was the Chancellor's revelation that this would cost at least 8,000,000,000,000 marks during the coming week, and that this drain on the national finances had caused the collapse of the mark.

The Ultra-Nationalists were furious, but neither they nor the Communists were able to carry out a coup-de-main.

The Government of the Reich has circulated a telegram to the effect that in the event of internal disorders all the authorities and officials of the Reich must strictly obey the orders of the Government of the Reich. The President will in such an event issue the necessary emergency regulations.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 25—The news of the German decision was received with calm satisfaction in Paris, but there is no tendency to premature jubilation as proof of Germany's sincerity is required before the French military measures can be relaxed.

The decisions were greeted with much satisfaction in Brussels, while official circles in Washington consider that the European situation presents a more hopeful appearance.

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Sept. 26.—Two were killed and eleven injured in a clash between nationalists and communists near Leipsic on Sunday.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Sept. 25—The official communique announcing the decision of the Government of the Reich unconditionally to abandon passive resistance in the Ruhr is printed in large type by all the German newspapers. In a general way the Government papers endeavour to justify the decision taken and to minimise the importance of the defeat suffered.

It is significant that in Sweden, which has shown itself partially favorable to Germany, all the newspapers emphasise the stupidity of passive resistance and the triumph of M. Poincare, and abstain this morning from all criticism of the Franco-Belgian policy.

The decision of the German Government was greeted with sat-

faction by the Paris press. The Oeuvre says: "In vain the Nationalist Governments, principally in Bavaria, may try resistance. In vain certain Socialists, who are solid with the Saxon Government, are showing tardy opposition. The fact is there and the responsibility has been taken. The incident of passive resistance has been closed."

The Temps and the Journal des Debats ask in what the cessation of passive resistance actually consists, and refer to the advice given by the Berliner Boersenkurier "the resistance of hearts must continue."

The Temps concludes: "Independently of the words, conciliatory or threatening, that may be spoken at Berlin, we must be able to appreciate by a simple and impartial method whether resistance has really ceased in the occupied territory. The abrogation of ordinances and necessary measures, indispensable as it is, is in fact only an external sign of the change which must be accomplished. There is only one condition which must precede negotiations between the Allies and Germany. In order that negotiations may be carried on in a tranquil atmosphere it is evidently necessary that Germany's resistance shall not be received secretly after having been allegedly suppressed."

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 26.—London is generally unmoved at the cessation of passive resistance and is inclined to believe that the development does not affect the prospects of securing reparations.

The diversity of views on the question of resistance itself is illustrated by the Daily Mail, on the one hand, expressing the opinion that the capitulation is an impressive vindication of M. Poincare's foresight and courage while the Daily Chronicle, on the other hand, declares that the cessation of resistance signalises the culmination of the weakness of the British policy, resulting in Britain being elbowed out of Europe.

Smith And Hansen Are Acquitted

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two revolvers were later found by the police. But no one testifies to having seen either of the two defendants at that place or any of the goods in their possession. Two apparently disinterested foreigners testify, however, that they saw the two accused on the Garden Bridge in rickshas going South and in the opposite direction from Studley Avenue at 9:15 the same evening. An attempt was made to introduce certain statements of defendant Gaynor to the police at the time of their visit to his house, that the information turned out the proof against conspiracy between all of the defendants these statements might have been admissible. But no such attempt was made, either in pleading or proof, and it is elementary that in the absence of such special circumstances the statements of Gaynor would be inadmissible as hearsay. One of the prosecution's witnesses did state, however, without objection, that Gaynor said: "I will take the whole blame of crime which would certainly tend to exculpate the other defendants."

If these two are convicted it must be upon the sole identification of the shop accountant coupled with the uncorroborated statement of the chauffeur that he took two unidentified foreigners from the Customs Club on the evening in question. Considering the accountant's liability to mistake, especially as he was the only one out of several with apparently as good opportunity of observing the lack of positive corroboration and the positive testimony of other witnesses to having seen the accused at other places at or about the time they are charged with participation in this affair, we feel that it would be wholly unsafe to convict these young men (aged 19 and 25 respectively) of so grave a crime as this is, as it does, even severe a penalty, applying the rule that defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty and that the proof must convict beyond reasonable doubt, they are accordingly

ARREST FOUR WHO KIDNAPPED PEKING M. P.

Politician With $100,000 At Y.P.S. Hotel 'Guest Of Honor'

Four members of the Anhwei Labor Union were arrested in the Y.P.S. Hotel on Thibet Road yesterday afternoon by Municipal police charged with having 'detained' a Member of Parliament from Peking in their room at the hotel.

The Peking politician, according to the Chinese press, is Huang Chien-hung, who is supposed to have come to Shanghai several days ago with $100,000 with which to buy back members of Parliament who have deserted Peking. Their votes are badly needed at the present juncture in order to insure the election of Ma Shai-Tsao Kun.

The four men are said to have taken room 66 at the hotel, which is directly across from room 67, the room occupied by Huang, and to have watched his room for two days. Tuesday afternoon they are reported to have engaged in a fight with Huang, and yesterday afternoon they are charged with having kidnapped him and held him in their room, supposedly in an attempt to get some of the $100,000.

Standard Oil Ship Target Of Troops; Foreigner Wounded

(Independent News Service)

Ichang, Sept. 21.—Chief Engineer F. F. Miller of the Standard Oil Co. steamer Meitan while passing near Foochow, Szechuen, was wounded in the leg by a bullet when soldiers on the river bank fired on the vessel. It is understood that the Szechuen troops were firing on the Standard Oil Co. boat under the impression that she was carrying troops or supplies to the northern army.

Peking Fails To Get Promised Loan

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 26.—It is understood that at the last moment the promised loans from the Chinese banks to Mr. Chang Hu failed to be handed over before the Mid-Autumn Festival and hence the Government was only able to pay the gendarmerie 70 percent, the police 80 percent and the staffs of the Ministries 30 percent of a full month's salary.

Owing to his failure to fulfill his promises, it is reported, Mr. Chang Hu is desirous of resigning. According to some reports, the Minister of Finance has already departed for the Western Hills.

Foreign Cases Show Increase In Mixed Court

An increase in the number of foreigners unrepresented by Consulates here and brought up in the Mixed Court for trial is noted in the report for August which appears in the Municipal Gazette. 31 unrepresented or unrecognised foreigners were charged. Three men were sentenced to 2 years in jail and deportation for robbery.

Nearly all the cases involved Russians, although other foreigners were cited including Dorothy Lee, who claimed American citizenship, arrested for being drunk and disorderly, the case being withdrawn; W. Biswang, German, fined $5 for being drunk and disorderly; Peggy Seke, Malay, fined $5 for soliciting; A. Masnick, Polish, fined $1 for disorderly conduct; E. Schneider, and L. M. J. Dohse, Germans, fined $5 for traffic violations, Hillo Janko, Rumanian, dismissed on a charge of possession of ammunition.

Obituary

MR. PAUL D. TWINEM

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanking, Sept. 24—Mr. Paul D. Twinem, professor of Astronomy and Religious Education in the University of Nanking, died of peritonitis yesterday (Sunday) night. He had been ill for about one week and was operated on on Sunday morning. He was a graduate of Wooster College in Ohio and took his professional training in Princeton University and Theological Seminary, where he received his M.A. and B.D. degrees. The funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning, September 25, in the Sage Chapel. The deepest sympathy of friends and students is extended to Mrs. Twinem.

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PRESIDENT TAFT BRINGS U.S. MAIL THIS EVENING

American Mail Also Comes On Jackson Tomorrow

With several hundred bags of American mail, 2,000 tons of cargo and a big list of passengers, the President Taft will arrive in Shanghai this evening, and is to dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf around 5 o'clock. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Another heavy mail will arrive on the President Jackson tomorrow. The liner, bringing 1,401 bags of mail, 2,600 tons of cargo and passengers for this port, will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf around the noon hour. It is scheduled to sail for Hongkong and Manila on Sunday noon.

Taking mail for Europe, the M.M. steamer Amboise will sail from its berth for Marseilles tomorrow morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer is to leave the French Mail jetty at 9 o'clock. Mail closes at 8 a.m. tomorrow.

A mail from Europe arrived on the P. and O. vessel Nellore yesterday afternoon, and following, the next consignment is due on the Angers of the French Mail next Saturday.

Community Church Members Gather For Social Evening

Some 200 members and friends of Community Church gathered last night for a very pleasant social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Raven, in Avenue Joffre. The members of the Governing Board and members of the church were hosts and of those present nearly 100 were people recently arrived in Shanghai or visitors here.

A program of music was given on the spacious lawn, which was lighted by Chinese lanterns, and later refreshments were served. Mr. George Kerr was chairman of the social committee in charge and the gathering enabled the church officials to become acquainted with many new arrivals here.

The affair was also somewhat in the nature of a birthday celebration for the church, which has just completed the third year of its existence. At the "birthday" service last Sunday, a special collection of $303 was taken which is to be turned over to the Church Building Committee.

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Filipino Sent To Jail For 2 1-2 Years For Fraud

Gonzales Diaz, a Filipino formerly employed by a Shanghai shipping office, was sentenced to 2½ years in Bilibid prison, Manila, yesterday by Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier for obtaining money and goods under false pretenses.

Diaz was charged and pleaded guilty to having written checks on the American-Oriental Bank without having funds in the bank, and with having passed them on fourteen different store-keepers, including Richterman's, P. B. Shroff's and 12 Chinese hongs.

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21 ARE STILL ENTOMBED IN MINE DISASTER

21 Saved By Rescue Squads; Only 3 Bodies Are Recovered

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 25. — Rescue brigades were rushed to Redding, the scene of the mine disaster, and began pumping out the shaft. The rescuers succeeded in reaching the bottom of the shaft, but owing to blackdamp it was impossible to keep lights burning. Nevertheless, they presisted in their efforts to reach the victims, though there was little hope that any would survive. Crowds of grief-stricken relatives are assembled at the pithead.

The disaster occurred at five in the morning. A survivor, who had a very lucky escape, was swept off his feet by a cataract of water, but managed to reach the shaft.

An old man whose son was in the pit telephoned to him from the Company's office. His son replied that the water was rising fast and had already reached his waist, and that several of his mates had been drowned. Shortly afterwards the telephone was interupted.

Later.—The death roll is not so heavy as feared. Twelve of those who were entombed had a miraculous escape. Cries were heard at noon from an old pit-shaft. 35 fathoms deep and half a mile from Redding under a potato field. Rescue operations resulted in 12 men being brought up alive. Some were unconscious.

Later. — The rescuers have brought up 21 persons alive and three dead, leaving 41 entombed.

BRITISH SILK SUFFERS FROM LACK OF DUTY

Leader In Industry Asks For Imposition Of High Tariff Schedule

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 25.—The growing demand of certain industries in Britain for protection against cheap foreign competition was exemplified by the evidence of Mr. Farrell, representing the British silk industry, today before the Board of Trade Committee which is enquiring into the causes of unemployment in the silk industry. Mr. Farrell attributed the decline of the silk industry in Britain to the removal in 1860 of the duty on foreign silk goods. He mentioned as an instance that the United States was rapidly building up, behind a tariff wall, a silk industry which now consumed over 80 percent of the whole production of raw silk. The British industry at present was supplying only 20 percent of the silk goods consumed in Britain and half the total number of silk workers were unemployed.

Mr. Farrell asked for the imposition of a 33 1-3 per cent ad valoren duty on spun silk yarn and manufactured silks; a 15 percent ad valorem duty on thrown silk; and a 10 percent ad valorem duty on waste silk drafts, while raw silk, waste silk and artificial silk yarn should be imported free of duty.

Hold Memorial For Destroyer Victims

(Exclusive China Press)

San Diego, Calif., Sept. 25.—Officers and men of the navy and marines and civilians attended the memorial services held here today for the 23 navy enlisted men who were killed in the wreck of the seven American destroyers recently off the California coast.

Admiral Coontz, commander of the United States fleet, paid a high tribute to the men who had gone to their death while in line of duty.

Council Takes Firm Stand With Tram Co.

(Continued from Page 5)

you that this matter is now under consideration by the Council.

It is of course realised that after having suffered for more than a decade from the heavy depreciation in Chinese copper comage, and having now decided, from your own point of view, as to what is the best course to pursue, you are naturally anxious to put in force an increase in the tramway fares at the earliest possible moment. Doubtless this consideration is the reason why you notified me of the proposed increases on August 30, and simultaneously a notice appeared in the native press that they would come into force a fortnight later. But the Council does not consider that, in the general interest of the public, it should allow itself to act prematurely in this matter, more especially as it is expressly provided in the Concession Agreement with your Company that three months' notice shall be given to the Council of any suggested revision of fares, with, thereafter, fifteen days further notice to the public; so that I was obliged to request that you would be so good as to refrain from putting your proposals into operation until they could be carefully investigated.

Upon mature reflection, I am sure you will agree that, in such matters, more strict adherence to the terms of your agreement is advisable, not only to afford the public opportunity to criticise proposed increases but also to accord with the basic principle that the Council should not sanction such proposals without due investigation, since, if uncontrolled, public utility corporations would be in a position unduly to exploit the public.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. S. B. Rowe,
Acting Secretary.

REPORT PROTESTED

This week's Gazttte also contains correspondence between the company and Council regarding the letters published last week, the company alleging that there was an error in the Gazette concerning a proposed change in the present fare station points. No change in these is contemplated, the company's attorneys state.

The Council in reply defends its interpretation, quoting sections of previous correspondence in support thereof, and points out that the point at issue is a purely academic one. The correspondence on this points is published in the Gazette in compliance with the company's request.

Revive Interest In British Women's Home

Because of the evident need of such a home for such work the interest in Ye Olde English Fayre which is being promoted by the British Women's Association has been greatly increased. The work done and the money expended during the Club's recent relief work on behalf of the Japanese catastrophe sufferers has made a base for future work of the same kind absolutely necessary and it is to that end that the B.W.A. is working for sufficient funds to construct a headquarters building.

A meeting of the committee for the Fayre will be held at Headquarters at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon and all interested are requested to attend.

BELGIUM WINS BALLOON RACE, BENNETT CUP

Victory Is Assured By Feat Of Pilot Who Landed In Sweden

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Sept. 25.—Belgium is the assured winner of the Gordon Bennett Balloon Cup by the feat of the aeronaut, M. de Muyter, who landed in Sweden, having covered 1,150 kilometres.

There is no news of the Belgian balloon Prince Leopold.

The pilot of the British balloon Banshee III encountered a raging snowstorm when 6,300 feet high.

(Reuter's Service)

Amsterdam, Sept. 25. — The Spanish balloon, Esperia, one of the competitors in the Gordon Bennet Cup race, landed on Sunday night at Woldendorp in the Province of Groningen. Two naval officers on board were injured when the balloon came into contact with an electric light wire.

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Sept. 25.—The Swiss balloon Helvetia landed on the Schleswig frontier, the French balloon Picardie at Osnabrueck and the Belgian balloon Belgica at Cerebro in Sweden.

Air Race Staged With Quake Films

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Sept. 25.—Cinema concerns are engaging in an aeroplane race across America in an effort to be here first with Japanese earthquake films. It is understood that one flyer started from Seattle and another from San Francisco. The former is reported to have reached Great Falls in Montana and to have trans-shipped his cargo to another flyer, who undertook to deliver it in Chicago today.

RISKS THAT NURSES RUN

The nursing profession is an arduous one even at its best, and not the least of its disadvantages is the risk a nurse has to take of contracting disease from her patients. The experience of an Australian lady, Mrs. S. Morgan, of Mica Street, Broken Hill, is interesting in this connection.

"I was helping to nurse some patients and caught Typhoid myself," Mrs. Morgan stated. "After I recovered my health was very poor for some time. I'd feel weak all day and nothing seemed to interest me. My head throbbed with nervous headache so that I couldn't bear the least noise. I'd feel quite distracted with the pain shooting through the head and got so dizzy with it that I could hardly see. Often I would have to lie down and put on bandages or wet cloths for I simply could not hold up my head.

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Two Foreigners And 180 Chinese Died Last Week

Two foreigners and 180 Chinese died of all causes in the International Settlement last week, according to the weekly report of Commissioner of Public Health C. Noel Davis. Communicable diseases reported during the same period included one foreigner and seven Chinese with cholera, three Chinese with typhoid fever, one foreigner and 14 Chinese with tuberculosis, two foreigners and four Chinese with dysentery, and five Chinese with acute diarrhoea. One foreign and two Chinese cases of cholera from within the Settlement limits were verified bacteriologically in the Municipal laboratories.

Dr. Benton Ill; Must Desert Post

(Exclusive China Press)

Manila, Sept. 26.—Guy Potter Benton, president of the University of the Philippines, is sailing on the steamer President Jackson on October 9 on an extended leave of absence. Dr. Benton's return to the United States was necessitated by his continued ill health. It is understood that he may not return to his post here.

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MATINEE TO AID REFUGEE FUNDS THIS AFTERNOON

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An excellent program has been arranged by Miss Jean Armstrong and the performance is being given under the auspices of the refugee committees of the British Women's Association and American Woman's Club. The theater management has given the use of the Olympic free and all proceeds will go to the fund.

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(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Sept. 25.—It was announced here today that the government had sold the Gorgas station power plant which is part of the Muscle Shoals properties, to the Alabama Power Company.

Quake Refugees Reach Los Angeles

(Exclusive China Press)

Los Angeles, Sept. 25.—The steamer West Prospect arrived here today from the Orient with many refugees of the Japan earthquake catastrophe as passengers.

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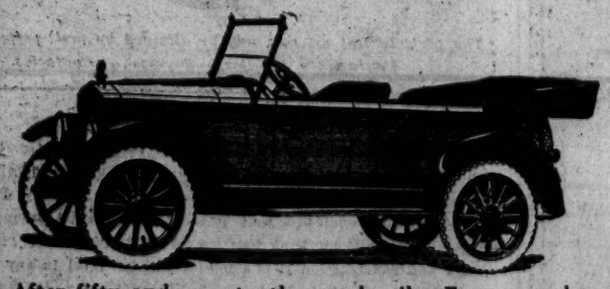

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Indications are that Shanghai is ready to accord the young master an even greater reception than those called forth by the appearance here of Elman, Zimbalist, Kreisler and the other world famous artists who have been brought out to the Far East during the past two years by M Strok.

Heifetz's opening program includes several selections among the best known of his repertoire and is an excellent one throughout and one well calculated to display his wondrous bowing skill.

The program is to be as follows:

1. Chaconne.. Tomaso Vital (1660
Arranged by Leopold Charlier
2. Concerto E—minor Mendelssohn
Allegro molto appassionato
Andante
Allegretto ma non troppo—
Allegro molto vivace
3. (a) Ave Maria .....Schubert
(b) Minuet ..... Mozart
(c) Nocturne D—Major.
Chopin Wilhelmy
(d) Chorus of Dervishes
(Etude)
(e) March Oriental (Scherzo)
Beethoven Auer
4. (a) Melodie ..... Tchaikowsky
(b) Caprice 24 ..Paganini—Auer

Heifetz's accompanist is Mr. Isidor Achron, himself a noted artists.

Heifetz's second concert will be played at the Town Hall Saturday evening.

COTTON

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farmers to the necessity and profitableness of growing more cotton.

The situation is yearly aggravated by the large quantities of cotton grown in the country going abroad making the lot of the mills a harder one. The exports of China cotton from Shanghai afford an interesting sidelight on the position. During the 1919-1920 season with a cotton yield then of 9,316,390 piculs for the whole of China, Shanghai exported 459,947 piculs, in 1920-1921 the exports amounted to 367,900 piculs, in the following season to 276,496 piculs, while in the season just closed (1922-1923) the exportation increased to 505,711 piculs. If we take into consideration the large portion of the annual yield that is consumed in the interior in the way of making bedding, etc., it would be seen why there is such a scramble every season to secure supplies of the indigenous stable. Japan has been a serious competitor with the mills in Shanghai in securing these supplies as the following statistics of the exports of cotton from Shanghai to Japan would prove: September to August 1919-1920, 80,444 piculs; 1920-1921, 137,220 piculs; 1921-1922, 70,881 piculs; 1922-1923, 282,932 piculs. It will be seen that the exports of China cotton to Japan this past season have been the largest on record.

Quorum In Senate; Extension Voted

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 26.—There was a quorum in the senate today for the first time since General Li Yuan-hung's departure from Peking.

A resolution was passed approving the Bill from the house of representatives prolonging the term of the present parliament till the day of the opening of the next parliament.

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By Bud Fisher

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NOW I'LL LAY THIS SACK OF FLOUR ON YOUR BACK AND YOU CAN SEE HOW VERY LIGHT IT FEELS SINCE YOU TOOK A SHOT OF PEPPO!
FINE!
TEE HEE!
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News Brevities

499 Chinese refugees from the quake zone will arrive on the steamer Arizona Maru today. The vessel is expected to dock at the O.S.K. Wharf about 1 o'clock this afternoon.

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A reception will be given by the Chinese Society for Japanese Earthquake Relief Sufferers this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Jen Chi Benevolent Institution in honor of Messrs. Yi Shun-tsai, Chu Chi-chen and Wang Tsing-sung, who returned from the devastated zone by the steamer Hsin Ming last week.

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A son was born to Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Hendry at Soochow on September 26.

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The keeper of an opium den at 123 North Honan Road was fined $40 in the Mixed Court yesterday and five smokers arrested in the raid were fined $3 each.

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The case was called in the Mixed Court yesterday of the 17-year-old Chinese lad who entered Holy Trinity Cathedral Monday evening and looted the altar of its furnishings. Detective Sergeant Macgregor stated that the accused had been taken to the Police Hospital for observation, it being believed that he is of unsound mind. The excuse given by the youth when he was caught was that he had been told to enter the Cathedral by his mother. Questioned as to her whereabouts he said that she had died and was in heaven. The case was remanded a week.

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Members of the Catholic Club are reminded of the Bridge Drive which takes place this evening at 9 p.m. Friends may be invited.

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Two Chinese convicted of domiciling a girl under fifteen years of age in a brothel were fined $100 each by the Mixed Court yesterday. The child was ordered handed over to the Door of Hope.

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Today's weekly meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club will be closed to members only and will be held at the Astor House at 12:15 o'clock. Several members will speak.

A Chinese named Zee Ts-sung appeared before Assessor Martin and Magistrate Kwan at the Mixed Court yesterday charged with being one of three men who attempted to murder one Shimzaburo Yamanichi, a Japanese mill employe, in Penang Road on September 21. The accused when arrested was in possession of a fighting iron. The complainant is still in hospital and the accused was remanded in custody until October 6.

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Mr. Frank Strahan of Frederick Stearn and Company of Detroit, is a guest at the Astor House Hotel.

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Parliamentarians in Shanghai gave a tiffin in honor of Ex-president Li Yuan-hung yesterday at the headquarters of the Hunan solons, 59 Shen An Lee, Rue Amiral Bayle.

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Comm. G. de Rossi, Consul-General for Italy, has resumed his duties as Senior Consul. Mr. Hugo Reiss, Consul for Brazil, has notified the Council that during his temporary absence from Shanghai Mr. V. Meyer will be in charge of the Brazilian Consulate.

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For distributing handbills concerning the end of the world, calculated to disturb the peace, a hawker was fined $1 in the Mixed Court yesterday. He was arrested Tuesday afternoon near the temple in Nanking Road and said that he had been hired by a man whom he did not know to distribute the bills.

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Mr. A. M. Collaco, secretary of the S. R. A. is leaving for Hongkong and Macau on the s. s. Amboise on September 28, for a three months vacation. In recognition of his 14 years service, the S. R. A. have made him a presentation on the occasion of his departure.

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Discuss Agenda For Imperial Conference

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 25.—There have been discussions during the past week between Mr. William Ormsby-Gore, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, and the delegates of the Associations representing the main groups of the Colonies with regard to the agenda of the Imperial Economic Conference.

It has been arranged for the representatives to keep in touch throughout the Conference. This is the first time a liaison of all groups has been attempted.

Report On Frobe Of Cotton Mills

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, Sept. 25.—A report published by an expert, Mr. Maloney, who has officially investigated the atmospheric conditions of cotton mills with a view to effecting amelioration without serious detriment to the industry, points out that the physique of the average operative is much lower than that of workers of similar castes and wage-earning capacity in other trades.

Mr. Maloney suggests reduction of temperatures by more effective ventilation, roof spraying, prohibition of the use of idle steam and increased velocity of the air in the weaving department.

Peking Chamber To Redeem Copper Notes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 26.—The Peking Chamber of Commerce, after a meeting with Government delegates, today decided to organise a commercial bank with a capital of $1,000,000, for the redemption of the copper notes.

Probably the old notes will be redeemed at a discount and then destroyed. At present no one is willing to accept copper notes even at 40 percent of their usual value.

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Shanghai Solons Return To Peking; Some Are Paid

Kiangsu Makes Them Advisors In Order To Curry Their Favor

(Dah Tong News Bureau)

Peking, Sept. 26.—Over 30 Parliamentarians who have been in Shanghai, have returned to Peking. Of these, four are from Kiangsu province who have been retained by the provincial authorities as their advisors, drawing $200 a month, three months of salary having already been paid. They were escorted by special agents to Peking.

A Presidential Mandate is expected to be issued, granting Chang Hu, Minister of Finance, leave of absence, during which, Mo Teh-lin, Vice-minister, will be in charge of the office.

The Anhui residents in Peking has received a telegram from their representative in Shanghai to the effect that the Anhui-Chekiang peace treaty is expected to be completed. They were asked to urge Tuli Ma Lien-chia to conclude the negotiations.

Publishers Winning In Printers' Strike

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, Sept. 25.—The New York newspapers are apparently winning their fight against the union pressmen who walked out despite the opposition of the international union to any strike. The publishers' association has announced that it will increase the size of New York's one morning newspaper to sixteen pages tomorrow.

The strikers have offered to return to work providing the publishers do not recognise the international union, but the publishers have refused their offer. Conditions are now nearly normal.

(Exclusive China Press)

New York, Sept. 25.—The publishers' association has made plans to increase the size of New York's combined morning newspaper in their refusal to retain paper to sixteen pages. The to work despite the orders of the striking pressmen remains ad- international [illegible]

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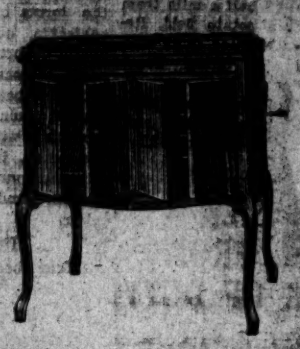

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Fast Boxers Scheduled To Appear In Stadium Bouts Tomorrow Night

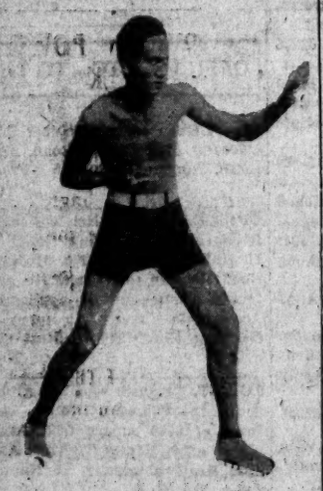
Tomorrow night's boxing show at the Stadium, to quote Jim Sullivan, manager of that establishment, will be the best of the season.

Shanghai appears to be the fistic center of the Far East just at present, with plenty of talent in the city and more on the way. In addition to the Filipino boxers already here, comprising some of the stars of the Islands, the Asiatic fleet brought in some additional scrappers, and it is from this combined aggregation that tomorrow's card has been made up.

TIGORA

The big bout of the evening will be a twelve round go between Kid Valencia, champion of the fleet, and Tigora, of Manila, known as "The Moro amok." Sullivan says this bird has never been knocked off his pins, and that he is up here looking for fights with Garcia, De Dios, Carletos and Billy Tingle. Tomorrow night's scrap will give the fans here a line on his abilities.

The semi-final will be a six, round go between Battling Rib and Fernandez, and there will be three preliminary scraps in which plenty of action is promised.



KID VALENCIA

Kid Carletos And De Dios Re-Matched

Promoter Billy Bellew is sending out handbills announcing a return engagement between Kid Carletos and Faustino De Dios who battled at the Stadium some time ago, at which time De Dios won via the knockout route.

Billy said yesterday that he had not as yet obtained a place for staging this bout, although he hoped to get the Town Hall. He announces the fight for next Wednesday night.

These two boys put up the best fight yet seen in Shanghai and they undoubtably will prove a great drawing card when they meet again.

Bellew says negotiations are under way to have two local amateurs fill in the semi-final, and that he also plans to have four preliminary bouts. Further announcements concerning this boxing card will be made later.

Shanghai Team For Interport Tennis Picked

Messrs. W. Mansell-Smith, R. D. Carnavarro, John L. Wade and H. Toussaint were selected yesterday as Shanghai's hopes in the interport tennis tourney against Hongkong, which begins at the Association's courts on the Hotel Majestic grounds on Saturday. The Messrs. Rumjahn, two brothers and a cousin, will represent Hongkong.

The schedule follows:

Saturday, 3 p.m.—H. D. Rumjahn vs W. Mansel-Smith; 4 p.m. S. A. and Omar Rumjahn vs R. D. Canavarro and J. L. Wade.

Monday, 3:30 p.m.—S. A. Rumjahn vs J. L. Wade; Omar and H. D. Rumjahn vs H. Toussaint and R. D. Canavarro.

Wednesday, 3:30 p.m.—Omar Rumjahn vs Shanghai player yet to be selected, and one unofficial doubles match.

Steve Donoghue To Ride Papyrus

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 25.—It has now practically been arranged that Steve Donoghue will ride Papyrus in his race in America with Zev.

Beckett To Retire After Bout Oct. 1

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 26.—Joe Beckett has announced that he will retire from the ring after his fight with Georges Carpentier at Olympia on October 1.

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Rifle Association's October Circular

Monthly Cups:—Owing to the Annual Rifle Meeting of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps the Range will be closed during October and there will be no Monthly Cup Competitions.

Team Match:—S. R. A. versus The London and Middlesex Rifle Association, London: This match will take place during October. Conditions: any rifle, ten men aside, ranges 200-500-600 one sig. and seven scoring shots at each distance. No practice on the day of the match.

Name of the members selected to practice will be announced later in the local press.

Attendance Cups:—Aggregate of the three best scores to date:—"A1" Class:—Y. C. Waung 1305—R. I. Ito 1305 and F. E. Hodges 1294. "A" Class:—H. G. Mende 1209—D. Leighton 1189 and Z. S. Hoo 1194. "B" Class:—C. S. Kemp 1171 and G. Archer 1043. "C" Class:—A. C. Godby 1108—H. Collaco 1101 and C. H. Liu 1012. "D" Class:—L. K. Chu 912 and S. Matsushita 883.

Secretary and Treasurer:—During Mr. Collaco's absence on leave from Shanghai (28th Sept. to 1st week November) Q. M. Sergt. W. T. Rose will act as Secretary & Treasurer.

Pancho Villa Gets Decision In Bout With Tony Thomas

(Exclusive China Press)

Boston, Sept. 25.—Pancho Villa won a decision over Tony Thomas in their ten-round bout here tonight. Villa weighed 112 pounds and Thomas 114¾.

Major League Standings

Correct to September 15

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
NATIONAL LEAGUE				
New York	141	86	55	.610
Pittsburgh	138	81	57	.587
Cincinnati	142	82	59	.570
Chicago	139	75	64	.532
St. Louis	139	72	67	.518
Brooklyn	137	67	70	.489
Philadelphia	135	45	90	.333
Boston	139	46	93	.331
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
New York	137	90	47	.657
Cleveland	132	71	61	.538
Detroit	139	68	62	.523
St. Louis	129	65	64	.503
Washington	134	64	70	.478
Chicago	132	60	72	.455
Philadelphia	126	52	74	.413
Boston	132	54	78	.409

Home Cricket Averages

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 25.—The following are the final averages for the cricket season:

BATTING

	Runs	Average
E. Hendren (Middlesex)	3,010	77.17
C. P. Mead (Hampshire)	2,604	59.18
Challengor (West Indies)	1,556	51.86
H. Makepeace (Lancashire)	2,810	49.14
J. W. Hearne (Middlesex)	1,519	47.46
Mr. I. G. Crawley (Harrow)	801	44.50
W. Payton (Notts)	1,570	43.61
C. Hallows (Lancashire)	1,438	43.57
Mr. J. L. Bryan (Kent)	940	42.72
A. Sandham (Surrey)	1,894	41.17
H. Sutcliffe (Yorkshire)	2,220	41.11
F. E. Wooley (Kent)	2,091	41.00

J. E. Hobbs (Surrey) is 16th with 2,087 runs and an average of 37.94.

BOWLING

	Wickets.	Average
W. Rhodes (Yorkshire)	134	11.54
Roy Kilner (Yorkshire)	158	12.91
G. G. Macaulay (Yorkshire)	166	13.83
M. W. Tate (Sussex)	219	13.97
F. C. L. Matthews (Notts)	115	15.30
Mr. J. C. White (Somerset)	140	15.52
G. Francis (West Indies)	82	15.58
E. Robinson (Yorkshire)	96	15.61
W. Horsley (Derbyshire)	63	16.17
W. Bestwick (Derbyshire)	91	16.28
Mr. R. H. Bettington (Oxford)	61	16.55

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4 p.m.
Sirdar A. Rumjahn & Omar Rumjahn v. R. D. Canavarro & J. L. Wade
Monday, 1st October, 3.30 p.m.
Sirdar A. Rumjahn v. J. L. Wade
Omar Rumjahn & Herbert D. Rumjahn v. H. Toussaint & R. D. Canavarro
Wednesday, 3rd October, 3.30 p.m.
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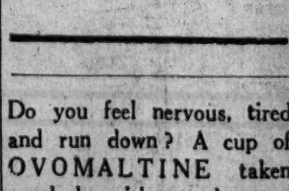

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ENTRY FORMS are obtainable at the Grand Stand.

By Order of the Stewards,
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Secretary,
Shanghai Race Club.
62192 S 29

The Cotton Anti-Adulteration Association of Shanghai

The Twelfth Annual Meeting of the above Association will be held at the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., on Friday, 28th September, 1923, at 11.45 a.m. when the Committee's Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st July, 1923, will be presented.

R. J. McNicol,
Acting Chairman.
62126 S 28

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CHINESE CIVIL CASE NO. 9245.

RE: THE INTERNATIONAL LUMBER PRODUCE & STOCK EXCHANGE

IN LIQUIDATION

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 20 percent has been declared in this matter, and that the same may be received at our offices on or after 26th, September, 1923.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edward VII,
Shanghai, September 26, 1923.
62242 S 27

NOTICE

ALL chits owing to the New Royal Cafe which are not paid by Oct. 3rd, 1923, will be advertised (giving names and addresses) for sale in Shanghai papers.

L. E. BROWN,
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62255 S 27

REMOVAL NOTICE

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Entries for the above two events should be sent to the undersigned on or before Wednesday, 3rd October. Each entry should be accompanied by the entrance fee (Five dollars for each competitor in the Singles and Five dollars for each pair in the Doubles Championship.

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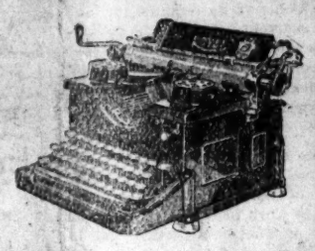

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Mrs. Samuel Wierman

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(138-11)

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Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax and marked on the outside of envelope "TENDER FOR CROSSING TIMBERS AND BRIDGE TIES" and addressed to the MANAGING DIRECTOR, Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration, Tientsin-Hopei, the same must reach the Administration by Express Post before 12 o'clock noon on 22nd OCTOBER, 1923 and will be opened at 3 p.m. on the same day in public.

No tenders will be entertained unless presented within the time stated and made on the Forms supplied by the Administration. The Administration does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to divide the order into lots.

(Sd.) SUN FUNGTSAO,
Tientsin, September 22, 1923. Managing Director.
62178 S 30

The Shanghai Hotels, Limited.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on Monday, the 15th day of October, 1923, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolutions as Extraordinary Resolutions, namely:—

1. That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited whose Registered Office is situate at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong and with a view thereto that this Company be wound up voluntarily and that Walter John Hawker, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up with full power to delegate all or any of his duties as he in his absolute discretion may think fit for the purpose of appointing a person or Corporation in Shanghai in the Republic of China to act in conjunction with him and under his control and as his Agent for the purpose of carrying out such liquidation.
2. That the Conditional Agreement submitted to the Meeting for the Amalgamation of this Company with The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited upon the terms (*inter alia*) of the acquisition by The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited of the complete undertaking, business, goodwill and property of this Company in return for the issue to members of this Company (other than The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited) of Two shares of the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited of the nominal value of Ten Dollars ($10.00) each credited as fully paid up in respect of each and every complete share held by such members of this Company respectively, be and the same is hereby approved and that the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorised pursuant to Section One hundred and eighty five of the Companies Ordinance One thousand nine hundred and eleven to adopt the said Agreement and carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications either before or after the execution thereof as the said Liquidator may think expedient.

N.B.—A copy of the said Conditional Agreement may be inspected at any time during business hours at the Registered Office of the Company, Powell's Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, and at the office of Messrs. Deacon, Harston and Shenton, No. 1 Des Voeux Road Central aforesaid the Solicitors to this Company and also at the Shanghai Office of the Company, No. 14 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

3. That the aforesaid shares of The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited shall be allotted to such aforesaid members who are on the Register of Shareholders of this Company on the date of the confirmation by this Company of the Special Resolution confirming the said Conditional Agreement.

N.B.—The shares of The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited to be allotted under the said Conditional Agreement to such aforesaid members of this Company will participate in all dividends declared by The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited in respect of the financial year ending 31st December, 1923, *pari passu* with the existing issued shares ("Old") of The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited.

4. That the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorised to give such consent as may be necessary to the name of The Hongkong Hotel Company Limited being changed to "The Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels Limited."

SHOULD THE ABOVE RESOLUTIONS be passed by the requisite majority they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting to be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street aforesaid on Wednesday, the 31st day of October, 1923, at 11 o'clock in forenoon for the purpose of considering and if thought fit confirming such Resolutions as Special Resolutions accordingly.

NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that Registered Shareholders of this Company may attend the above mentioned Meetings and vote thereat in person or by Proxy provided that all Proxies and the Powers of Attorney (if any) under which the same are signed are deposited duly stamped at the Head Office of the Company (namely the Registered Office of the Company at Powell's Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong aforesaid) not less than Twenty-four hours before the time fixed for holding the said Meetings.

Any Proxies or Powers of Attorney not deposited in accordance with the above provision will not be available for use at the said Meetings.

Dated this 24th day of September, 1923.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD
WALTER J HAWKER,
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62239

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Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

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Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
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Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien,
Vice-President: Mr Chien Yung-Ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
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T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager,
C. T. Huang, Sub-Manager,
K. Y. Yuen, Sub-Manager.

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Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.
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Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

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SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
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WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

Telephone: C. 1941.
C. 1946.
C. 5651.

Telegraphic Address: "Knabex"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

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Y. KATADA, Manager.
N. F. CHANG Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
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Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
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Peking	Canton	Mengtze
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Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
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London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
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The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital paid up ....U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,504,980
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
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LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

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Calcutta	Peking
Canton	Rangoon
Cebu	San Francisco
Colon	Santo Domingo
Dairen	Shanghai
Hankow	Singapore
Harbin	Soerabaya
Hongkong	Tientsin
Kobe	Tokio
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N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

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SHANGHAI BRANCH
22 The Bund
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SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

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Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

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Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorised Captial
U. S. $10,000,000
Paid Capital U. S... $ 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Branches:

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MANILA	SUIHKIACHWANG
HARBIN	TIENTSIN
PEKING	TSINANFU

Correspondents all over the World
Every kind of banking business transacted.

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Telephone C. 5841, 5842, 5843
Telegraphic address: Sinambank.

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No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

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Authorized Capital .. $5,000,000
Paid up Capital $2,500,000
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Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

L. C. WAI,
Manager.
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Steamers Arrived

Sep. 26-H. N'shao from Ningpo
Sep. 26-H. Peking from Ningpo
Sep. 26-Haean from Foochow
Sep. 2..-Chusan from Swatow
Sep. 26-Fukwang from R. Ports
Sep. 26-Chohei M. from Dairen
Sep. 26-Loksang from N'chwang
Sep. 26-Kiangping from C'tao
Sep. 26-Tamon M. from Japan
Sep. 26-Kutwo from Hankow
Sep. 26-Tatung from Hankow
Sep. 26-Talee M. from Hankow
Sep. 26-Meinan from Ningpo
Sep. 26-Celtic Prince from N.Y.
Sep. 26-Fujisan M. from Japan
Sep. 26-Meian from R. Ports
Sep. 26-Haruna M. from Europe
Sep. 26-Fengtien from Tientsin
Sep. 26-Nellore from London
Sep. 26-Chengtu from N'chwang
Sep. 26-Kingsing from Tientsin
Sep. 26-London M. from Japan

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
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Telephone Numbers C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6468) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

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SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

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Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
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Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
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Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$850,823.30

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
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CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

Meteorological Reports

September 27, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.50
Sun sets today at 18.57

SICCAWEI

	Sept. 21.		Sept. 22.	
(inches	30.08	30.09	30.01	30.02
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	0.06	0.00	−0.10	−0.14
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	−0.03	−0.07	−0.07	−0.07
Wind—direction	N	NE	N	NE
Wind—miles per hour	1.8	7.5	3.1	8.1
Temperature (Fahr.)	69°6	64°4	63°9	69°6
Humidity %	52	64	66	55
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	5	9	9	7
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	—	—	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT
September 21.

	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	30.11	†0.06	29.98
Temperature (Min. 65°7) (Fahr.) (Max. 78°3)	12°0	−1°8	71°4
Rainfall (inches)	36.85	0.00	37.92

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Bale.
Lee and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
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Telegraphic Address: Sinit SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, September 26, 1923
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Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.35
Semambus Tls. 1.47½ Cash
Tls. 1.57½ Dec.
Langkats Comb. Tls. 36.60 Dec.
New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 7.50 Dec.
Bukits Tls. 1.25
UNOFFICIAL
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.10
New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 7.17½
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 13.60 Nov.
Explorations Tls. 13.00
Langkats Comb. Tls. 36.60 Dec.
Tls. 35.25 Cash
Repahs Tls. 1.05
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 13.50 Dec.
Klebangs Tls. 0.72½
Semambus Tls. 1.55 Dec.

Steamers Departed

Sep. 25-C. of Norwich for Europe
Sep. 25-Yeiryo M. for Tayeh
Sep. 25-Hengan for N'chwang
Sep. 25-Teli for N. Dairen
Sep. 25-Yekishin M. for Tsingtao
Sep. 26-Tuckwo for Hankow
Sep. 26-Tehhsing for Hankow
Sep. 26-Ngankin for Hankow
Sep. 26-Kaiping for C'tao
Sep. 26-Liuhsing for Cruise
Sep. 26-Glenluce for Japan
Sep. 26-Omi Maru for Japan
Sep. 26-H. Peking for Ningpo
Sep. 26-H. N'shao from Ningpo

Weather Report

Sept. 25.—The high pressures are again spreading all over China while the typhoon is nearing NNE ward to the east of Formosa. Northerly to NEly winds or breezes along the China coast with local calms. Cloudy but fine weather in China. Rainy in Luzon.

Sept. 26.—Very fine and cool weather. Light mist over the fields at sunrise. NEly breezes.

Roster Of The Officers Aboard U. S. S. Huron

The following officers are aboard the U. S. S. Huron, flagship of the American Asiatic fleet, now in port:

Admiral E. A. Anderson, U.S.N., Commander in Chief U. S. Asiatic Fleet.
Captain C. D. Stearns, Commanding U. S. S. Huron.
Lt.—Comdr. R. C. Giffen, Executive Officer.
Lt.—Comdr. E. W. Spencer, Jr., Gunnery Officer.
Lt.—Comdr. W. E. Goodhue, Navigator.
Lt.—Comdr. J. H. Holt, Jr., Engineer.
Lt.—Comdr. L. Sheldon, Medical.
Lt.—Comdr. L. Sheldon, Medical Officer.
Lt.—Comdr. W. Gower, Supply Officer.
Captain C. C. Gill, U. S. Marine Corps.
Lieut. G. T. Hall, U. S. Marine Corps.
Lieut. M. A. Deans (Ord), Lieut. R. B. Crichton, Lieut. J. M. Fernold, Lieut. A. J. Desautels (MC), Lieut. T. P. Riddle, Fleet Chaplain.
Ensign D. E. Carlson, Ensign P. G. Hale, Ensign W. G. Jones, Ensign D. R. Eldridge, Ensign J. E. French, Ensign W. E. Gist, Ensign M. E. Arnold, Ensign H. R. Hudson, Ensign W. J. Mullins, Ensign D. L. Nutter, Ensign J. B. Patton, Ensign H. M. Westcoat, Ensign J. N. Silke (SC).

Canadian Resolution Submitted To League Referred To Council

(Reuter's Service)

Geneva, Sept. 25.—Much surprise and considerable comment has been excited amongst the delegates to the League of Nations Assembly by the manner of winding up the debate on the Canadian resolution, interpretative of Article X of the Covenant and proposing that, when the Council recommends military measures in order to preserve the territorial integrity of members against aggression, it shall take special account of geographical and other conditions, and that each State and each member shall be allowed to judge the extent to which the employment of his military forces will be involved. The vote resulted in 29 countries favoring the proposal, and one, namely Persia, opposing while 13 abstained. The President thereupon declared that the resolution had neither been adopted nor rejected but would be referred to the Council.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 25.—The League of Nations Assembly today continued the discussion of the resolution interpretative of Article X of the Pact. Sir Lomer Gouin explained the point of view of the Canadian Government, which demanded that the text should be made more precise. Prince Dowleh (Persia) declared that the proposed interpretation weakened Article X of the Pact. M. Bathelemy declared that France would have preferred that the debate should not be engaged in, but must acquiesce in the desire of Canada to whom she owed a debt of gratitude. He stated that the resolution did not weaken the text of Article X, and emphasised that the Article did not take into account the anxiety of the inhabitants of the New World that their affairs should not be entangled with those of Europe. M. Loudon (Netherlands) associated himself with the interpretative resolution, to which M. Politis (Greece) also gave his adhesion, stating that it would facilitate entry of the United States into the League. Sir W. Dickinson (Great Britain) also spoke in favor of the resolution, upon which M. Motta (Switzerland) claimed unanimity. Twenty-nine States voted for, One, Persia, against and thirteen abstain[ing from voting. Unanimity not having been obtained, the resolution was not adopted in conformity with Article V of the Pact which requires unanimity.

M. Leon Bourgeois on his departure from Geneva told a representative of Havas News Agency that the League of Nations had just successfully surmounted the greatest trial perhaps which had up to then presented itself in its path. Two great difficulties were facing it. The first arose in that it might appear to public opinion that a Great Power seemed to ignore its existence and its authority. It was consoling that this great trial finally turned to the benefit of the League since the Italo-Greek difference was settled with the close collaboration of the Council. The second difficulty was the movement which led the smaller Powers to doubt of the assistance of the stronger nations to defend them against eventual dangers. The League of Nations had been able to restore unanimity of views between the Great and Small Powers, M. Leon Bourgeois added. The interview between Mr. Baldwin and M. Poincare has cleared the clouds from the international horizon and disarmed even the minds of those who do not think exactly as we do. Also the spectacle which the Geneva Assembly affords is of a nature to comfort all friends of the Entente between France and Britain. In Paris, as at Geneva, they have worked in concert for the submission of Germany."

Insurance Men To Discuss Payment Of Quake Claims

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 25.—The directors of the fire insurance companies in this district, who have hitherto adopted a firm attitude on the insurance question and have declined proposals for a conference at Tokio, have at last accepted the invitation to discuss the payment of claims with the Government representatives and the directors of the Tokio companies and will leave for Tokio tomorrow.

French To Obtain Turk Concession

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Sept. 25—The newspapers announce that the draft of the concession asked by a French company for the construction of the port of Mersina has been approved by the Turkish Cabinet and referred to the Grand National Assembly at Angora.

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WEATHER

Cloudy but fine weather. N. Ely breezes along the China coast, South of Shantung. The typhoon will probably reach Southern Japan N. E. ward, but no weather report has been received from Japan. Cyclonic center to the west of the Ballingtan Channel.

BIRTH

BORN at Soochow, on September 26th, to Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Hendry, a son, (Haygood Lawrence).
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The Tramway Co Gets Some News

ADDITIONAL correspondence between the Municipal Council and the tramway company appearing in today's Municipal Gazette makes it clear that the Council is standing firm for the rights of the tram-users and for its own rights and prerogatives in the regulation of public utility companies operating in Shanghai. In this matter the Council will have the firm support of the rate-payers. Its decision that it will require three months in which to consider whether the tramway company is justified in asking permission to increase fares and to alter and shorten distances for minimum fares, and even if the decision then should be in favor of the company, the Council will give the public two weeks additional notice before putting any changes into effect, in order that the public may have a chance to speak its mind.

Mr. E. S. Benbowe Rowe, Acting Secretary of the Council, writing under date of September 20, after conveying the Council's decision, says: "Upon mature reflection, I am sure you will agree that in such matters strict adherence to the terms of your agreement is advisable, not only to afford the public time to criticise proposed increases but also to accord with the basic principle that the Council should not sanction such proposals without due investigation, since, if uncontrolled, public utility corporations would be in a position unduly to exploit the public."

This is a warning which the tramway company cannot afford to ignore. It should realise that it is none too popular and that its prolonged twistings and riggings to avoid the Council's necessary regulations are doing no good. Its endeavors to draw various red herrings across the trail finally resulted in the contention that it was immune from limitations binding on other cos., and when it was realised that the Council really meant business an attempt was made to beg the whole question by a lengthy disquisition on gates. The Council's letter of September 14 should have cleared the air of all these red herrings and made it clear to the company that it is in no privileged position in this respect.

Our ears hurt we've been listening for the w.k. and muchly advertised crack of doom so intently.

Moral force is the hope of the world says President Coolidge. He'll loose the tuchun vote right now.

CHARIVARIA

An unknown genius for quips sits down to his typewriter in the China Mail offices every now and then and hammers out several little pertinent paragraphs that would do more to embellish the little dragons with their somewhat battered and mutilated little wiggly tails decorating the four corners of the pagoda of piffle if they were turned out after the manner of the m. or l. w.k. Ford. As 'firinst'——"As some people would have it—the League of Halluic-Nations!"

"Europeless," sezze.

"Europe is up to arrears in debt."

"Rents are the absoloot limit."

"Commencing, presumably, as a melody, "Yes, we have no bananas" has become a malady."

"Allied Currencies Are Coming Back."—Headline. It's a long, long way to Piccadilly as the natives of the tight little isle insinuate.

REMARKABLE REMARKS

"Men are gradually learning that great wealth and a mighty army and navy are not the real rulers of the world."—President Coolidge.

"Did you (Smith) sign the drink chit because Hansen was under age and couldn't get a drink?"—Special District Attorney C. P. Holcomb.

"Life is so absurd. People are always asking me to live down their pasts, whereas it takes every minute of my time living down my own future."—Sarah Bernhardt.

Messrs. Crisps statement that China will get no more new loans until she pays the old is rather crisp.

IMA HOOT NANNY

Miss Ima Hoot Nanny, who, in her own fashion is a hard-boiled Easter-egg, has so far been unable to answer the question of why such innocent little girls are able to get up the intelligence to be shocked.

Germany is to end passive resistance which is now expected to become active.

Senator Wheeler of Montana wants the United States to recognise the Soviet. Shelley is evidently not satisfied with the fiasco on the late lamented Fourth of July.

The implacable sphinx-like Calvin Coolidge was class humorist at Amherst when he graduated, according to President Olds of Amherst, Amherst, we assume, would die laffing at a funeral.

No, Little Garlic-san, mustard plasters do not come under the Custom's classification of drawing materials.

Larry

The Passing Of An Oriental Prince: Chan Hsun

Written for The China Press by Dr. Elliott I. Osgood, Chuchow, Anhwei

Dr. Osgood, of the East China Christian Mission of the Disciples of Christ, is one of THE CHINA PRESS valued correspondents who has on several occasions given readers of this newspaper extremely interesting and instructive accounts of 'things Chinese.' In the following article he writes of Chang Hsun, the ex-mafoo and loyal royalist who, even in his will, decreed that nine of the ten million dollars he left is to be used to restore the Manchus to the Dragon Throne.

Chang Hsun is dead. He will probably have no successor. Many of the group who in the last twenty-five years have made Chinese history so interesting, have gone on before him. He was not the least of the actors in the drama.

It is said his career began in the days of the Boxers when the Peking Court had to flee from the wrath of the Allied armies. It fell to the lot of Chang Hsun, then a petty military officer, to accompany the carts which bore the Empress Dowager and the Emperor. He was a true worshipper of royalty and the Old Buddha found him a present help in time of dire need. It is said that she awarded him with a Manchu princess for a wife and with the blessing of her own influence. He never forgot her kindness.

Little is known of him from that date until in 1911 we find him stationed at Pukow, the commander of 10,000 soldiers. On October 10th the Revolution broke out in Hankow. Early in November the Nanking viceroy and the Tartar general announced that, with the authority of the throne, Nanking might go over to the side of the Revolutionists. Upon hearing this Chang Hsun hustled his troops across the Yangtsze and took Nanking from these men whom he denounced as traitors to the Peking government. For a time he kept them under guard on Peh-chi-ko, but eventually allowed them to escape to a Japanese gunboat in the harbor which took them to Shanghai. The cities down along the Shanghai-Nanking Railway had already gone over to the Revolutionists but Chang Hsun announced he would bring them back to allegiance to the Government. However, the opposing armies were ahead of him and he soon had all he could do to maintain his position in Nanking city.

SURRENDERS NANKING

The Nanking mission and other hospitals were soon filled with his wounded soldiers. The doctors saw the impossibility of his holding out against superior forces and urged him to either surrender or leave the city and thus avoid unnecessary bloodshed. This he refused to do. "It can't be done; it can't be done," was his reply for some days, until the exasperated and overworked doctors threatened to leave the city and close their hospitals. Then some of his subordinate officers brought pressure to bear upon him. In order to give him face some of the gates facing the river were left sufficiently unguarded for him to escape with such troops as wished to follow him. Most of them elected to go with their "Lao Kwei-ti," as they then called him; but he left one regiment who with the help of the foreigners in the city surrendered the place to the Revolutionists.

Some time before he had sent forward a regiment of men along the route to the north which he apparently had planned to follow in case of defeat. His flight from Nanking was on December 1st. The Tientsin-Pukow Railroad had early demanded to be treated as neutral property. Much of their rolling stock they had moved out of Pukow to avoid its being seized in such an emergency as this.

A LONG MARCH

Chang Hsun had to march overland for 31 miles to Cauchow where some of the cars had been placed. Chuchow was undefended except by its walls and barred gates. The opposing forces were too near at hand for Chang Hsun to care to trouble this city. His men hurried on to the railroad station where he commanded the engine drivers to fire up and link on to the freight cars in the yards. He had some six thousand troops with him, only a half of whom could be accommodated on the cars left in Chuchow.

All day Sunday, December 3rd, the doughty little general walked up and down the station platform worrying the station master and trying to dig up more cars. While he was thus engaged a small force of newly recruited revolutionists approached the west gate of the city and to the terror of the pepole forced their way in. It was not long before the revolutionary commander himself began to imbibe some of the people's anxiety. The force at the railroad station continued to increase in size but there seemed to be no move to go on. Finally the revolutionary commander joined with the city elders and approached the two foreign missionaries in the city and asked them if they would be willing to go over the city walls and urge Chang Hsun to steam northward.

These men accepted the task. They met Chang Hsun still pacing the platform and surrounded by his burly bodyguards. They soon persuaded him to start, for they showed him that Pukow was already in the possession of the revolutionists who would not allow the railroad authorities to send up more cars, even if the latter were willing. Regretfully he steamed away northward, leaving fully half of his force behind. His plan was to send back the cars for them, but it was later learned that a revolutionary force at Pengpu heard of his coming and thought they could annihilate his force by the aid of a few old cannon which they lined up on the Pengpu platform. The old Imperialist halted his trains long enough to do a good job. When they were through the station platform was a shambles and the revolutionists were "not," for Chang Hsun took them and left them. This event prevented him from sending back his cars for the remainder of his forces.

THE FLIGHT

These remaining troops waited most of the next day, hoping for the return of the cars. The foreigners went out a second time. They got one of the officers on the telephone and connected him with the revolutionary leader who was in Pukow. The latter was a good talker but he was not able to persuade these imperialists to turn revolutionists. The officer dropped the telephone and started an overland march to Hsuchowfu whither his "Lao Kwei-ti" had gone. Only a small percentage of them ever reached there. Some deserted and sold their guns; some probably turned robbers themselves. At any rate a part of the region through which they marched was infested with armed robbers for some time afterwards.

Chang Hsun held his cars while he established himself in Hsuchuwfu, Kiangsu. He was a trouble to the railway authorities to whom he would not surrender the cars, and a menace to the new government as he began at once to recruit new forces. Straddling the railroad he could control movements between the north and south. His troops reached out into the four provinces of Anhwei, Kiangsu, Honan and Shantung. The government was forced to yield them support, though they took care not to be too liberal with arms and ammunition. He cultivated the brutal side of his men and the common peple had to bear in silence. He invested in most of the large business firms in the place and expected them all to show profits. That bandit infested region received some benefits from his presence as the bandits had to lose their heads, move out or join his forces. Chang Hsun soon became a power that had to reckoned with by the new government.

THE 1913 REBELLION

In July, 1913, the Southernors decided that the temporary President, Yuan Shi-kai, was a traitor to the new Republic. They seized Nanking and started a drive up the Tientsin-Pukow Railroad to take Peking itself. Not having been furnished sufficient arms and ammunition Chang Hsun had to back up into Shangtung for a few days. The rebels never went beyond Hsuchowfu and Chang Hsun soon had them hurrying the other way.

Feng Kweh-chang, the Chihli Governor, came down with his army. He was given the railroad for transportation and Chang Hsun took the Grand Canal. General Feng was held back some time while the blown-up bridges were being repaired. Chang Hsun soon captured Chinkiang and took possession of the Shanghai-Nanking Railroad toward Nanking. Waiting not for Gen. Feng, he began the attack on Nanking. Foreigners in Nanking had again to take up Red Cross work. In order to make the loss of life and property as small as possible they again offered their services as mediators. They could readily see that the forces could no more hold out permanently against the northern troops than had Chang Hsun been able to hold out in the previous conflict. Two of the foreigners who were personally acquainted with Chang Hsun made a long roundabout tour to get to him and plead with him to save the city from looting when it fell. They agreed to use all their powers to get the city to surrender quickly. Chang Hsun agreed to their request and drew up a proclamation to the city which they took back with them.

Upon return to Nanking the foreigners found themselves discredited and under suspicion. The rebel commanders had no idea of yielding the city without a struggle. There was nothing to do but attend to the wounded and wait while Chang and Feng pounded the city with their cannon. It was openly noised about that Chang's braves were to have the privilege of looting three days after the city fell. It was because of this that the foreigners had tried to mediate but without avail. It looked as though the city was doomed. Chang's braves kept their cannon aimed on two of the main gates and when these would give way they would make rushes and attempt an entrance. The rebels with their machine guns would mow them down and succeed in restoring the barricades at the gates.

NANKING LOOTED

Finally on September 1, after ten hours of steady firing at the Taiping Gate they made a rush and succeeded in holding it, planting their red flags above it. The rebels were driven back through the streets of the city and looting at once began. General Feng's men came into the city later in the afternoon but were at once marched to the barracks at the nearby parade grounds. Foreigners were compelled to stand by their own places for the looters were no respecters of Chinese persons. As soon as he could, one of the doctors made his way out the gates to Chang Hsun's private car and called upon him to fulfill his promise and stop the looting. At first he denied that any of his queued men would loot. Reluctantly he sent a company to investigate with instructions to cut down any queued soldier who was found bearing any loot. One or two were shot down but the looting did not stop until the three

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Correspondence

HWO WEI LOTTERIES

Wong Lai-sung, a Chinese ratepayer of the International Settlement, has sent the following letter to the Chinese Ratepayers' Association asking it to request the Shanghai Municipal Council to take drastic measures to suppress the Hwo Wei lottery:

"The evils of gambling are known to everybody. That is why gambling is strictly prohibited by the authorities. Amongst the various kinds of gambling in Shanghai the Hwo Wei lottery is the worst of all, because to play other games one has to go to a gambling place, but the Hwo Wei lottery one can play at home. The principal office of the Hwo Wei lottery is always situated in some lonely place. Its agents, men and women, are everywhere in every locality collecting stakes from players, amongst whom are women and even children of well-to-do families. The stakes range from $10 to $100. There are 36 houses and only one winning house is drawn each time. There are two drawings per day. Winning stakes are paid at the rate of 28 to one—therefore both rich and poor are fond of this lottery. In the beginning the stakes are always small, but when large sums of money have been lost the betting becomes heavy. Very frequently these gamblers end in losing their coin and will then resort to pawning their clothing. A good many people have been thus led to commit crimes and then have been driven to suicide. In Shanghai there are many people who have got themselves into trouble through the Hwo Wei lottery. Ignorant people are in the habit of sleeping in graveyards in the hope of obtaining tips from the dead. Many have lost their lives through such practices. The settlement authorities have always done their best to suppress this lottery, but the conductors thereof are so powerful that the lottery is still running. So long as this gambling is not suppressed the community will never have peace, and cases of thefts will increase day by day.

"I therefore bring this matter to your notice in the hope that you will ask the Chinese advisers to the S. M. C. to request the Council to instruct the police and detectives to make secret investigations into the Hwo Wei lottery, and also to allow Chinese residents in the Settlement to make such reports to the police. All offenders, when arrested, should be dealt with severely, so that it will put an end to this kind of gambling."

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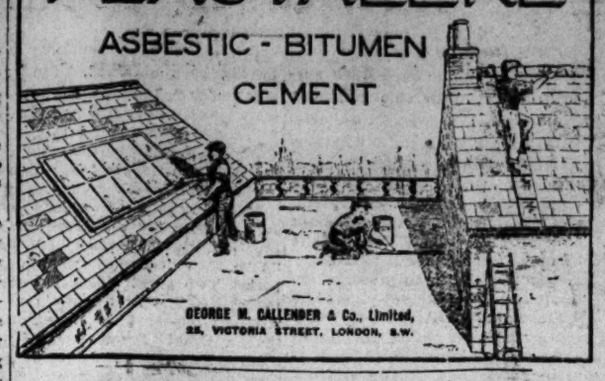
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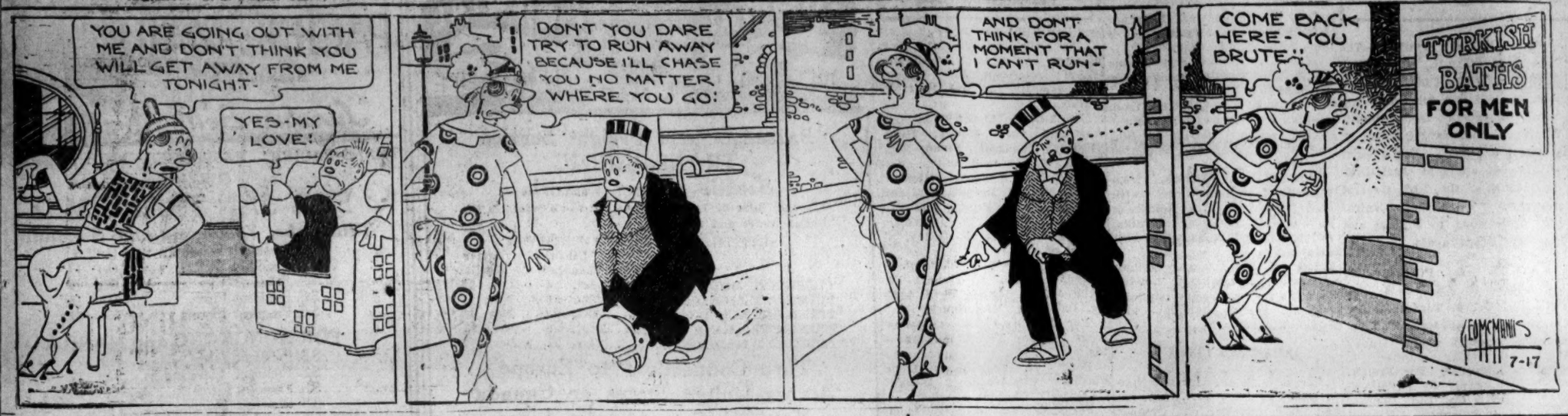
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What Women Wear

"I am no longer young—but I passee. She need no longer put ay still be charming. When I away youthful clothes just be- as young youth was essential to cause youth has gone."
harm, but it is different now. A So says the woman of forty- oman need no longer become five. She says it now and she has said something very much like it since the Stone Age no doubt. She always feels that it is all quite recent—this possibility for the older woman to charm.

She feels that today—always today—the woman of her age may have the advantage over the woman of twenty. She is wise, however, if she does not wear the clothes that are designed for the woman of twenty. Is it not enough to persuade yourself—Mrs. Forty-five—that there are certain fashions, certain fabrics, certain decorations that you may wear that youth may not? If you appropriate as your own the elegance of classic drapery, the dignity of trains, the sumptuousness of beautiful velvets, of jet, or of plumed hats—beautiful things too stately for a girl to wear—are you not willing to leave for her the ruffled and flounced and scalloped skirts, the looped ribbons, the bow-knots, pink roses and baby sleeves?

Seldom has there been such a distinct line between the styles that the French call "jeune fille," and over which they lay for the older woman a warning that reads: "Danger ahead—go slow"—and the other styles that we refer to as "matronly."

Beware of the boat-shaped neckline, says a dressmaker of more than ordinary wisdom when advising older customers. Also avoid the "line of decapitation," the round collarless effect.

And always avoid pink roses—in your hat or in your hair or as ornament to your gown. If you must buy them, buy them for your daughter, or for some one else's daughter.

You may think it charming the frock shown in the sketch—but if you are on the plump side of twenty-five don't try to wear one like it. It's light pink satin crepe with silver lace, and it is trimmed with pink ribbons, and it has baby sleeves, and it has the bateau neckline—so beware. It is a thing for youth.

Young girl's frock of pink satin crepe and silver lace and ribbons.

The Passing Of An Oriental Prince: Chan Hsun

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days were ended and Nanking was well nigh stripped.

Then Chang Hsun moved into the city and took up the post of military governor. Unfortunately for him, some Japanese were killed during the looting and the Japanese Government promptly demanded indemnity, apology and the removal of Chang Hsun from Nanking. He had to yield. He had had his revenge but he lost the prize. Feng Kweh-chang was made governor and Chang Hsun removed his forces once more to Hsuchowfu.

It took several trains to convey the goods his soldiers had stripped from Nanking. As a part of his own share, he had the electric light plant at the Exposition grounds taken down and moved entire to Hsuchowfu, where it was again set up to light his palatial grounds. Some time later the wires became crossed. His home was burned to the ground and he barely escaped with his life. He built another palace and continued to control this vantage point between the north and south. Neither the government nor the railroad was happy with him thus placed.

THE ROYALISTS

While yielding a nominal recognition to the Republic, Chang Hsun never forgot his allegiance to the Manchus. At Hsuchowfu he was an Oriental prince, a little king to his followers. His position astride the railroad was embrassing both to the government and all other Tuchuns. He was too direct in his ways to be a diplomat. He made few friends among the military leaders. They knew his traits and set a trap accordingly. During the spring of 1917 in Peking President Li Yuan hung and the Parliament were in a constitutional struggle against Tuan Chi-jui (then premier) and the militarists. The issue was over who should be given the greater power, the Executive and Cabinet officers, or Parliament. President Li finally dismissed the Premier from his office.

The militarists met at Hsuchowfu and it was suggested that Chang Hsun go to Peking to find a via media for the opposing parties. He later claimed that he had broached to the militarists the restoring of the Ex-Emperor, Hsuen-Tung, to power, and they had promised him their support. So taking five thousand of his choice troops with him this illiterate but powerful leader who knew nothing about constitutions and cared less, sailed into Peking to find a way out of their squabbles.

His first step was to compel the President to dissolve Parliament. Then he tried to make him resign and issue an edict recalling the Ex-Emperor. This President Li refused but he had to get out of Chang's way.

THE BOY EMPEROR

Early on the morning of July 1, Chang Hsun roused the little Manchu Ex-Emperor out of his bed and told him he was once more ruler of four hundred millions of people. For eleven days the gay dragon flag waved over the city. Chang Hsun had been deceived into believing that the people were tired of the eternal fighting and would rally to the Manchus once more. The militarists quickly undeceived him.

Fifty thousand troops were at once assembled at Tientsin, called the "Righteous Republican" army, and Tuan Chi-jui, the dismissed premier, was put in command. Chang Hsun sent out a few soldiers to meet them and cut the railroad, but these hastily retreated after the first brush. Peking was quickly surrounded by these Republican forces. Chang Hsun placed most of his troops in the south city at the Temple of Heaven and the Temple of Agriculture. His headquarters were in the Forbidden City near the little Ex-Emperor.

Negotiations were begun at once and it was hoped that Chang Hsun would surrender without fighting. But that was not his habit. He demanded that he be allowed to march out with all honors of war and to return to Hsuchowfu. This was not what the other militarists were working for so a fight had to be staged. At 4.30 on the morning of July 11, a bombardment from both sides began. Before 12 o'clock Chang Hsun had fled to the Dutch Legation. Airplanes had aided the besieging forces to plant their shots with fair accuracy on the spot where Chang was residing. He had to get out. His soldiers at the Temple of Heaven stopped firing before that. The "midsummer madness" was ended and Tuan Chi-jui returned to his former post as Premier. Li Yuan-hung refused to continue as president and Feng Kweh-chang came up from Nanking and took his place. In due season Chang Hsun was allowed to escape to Tientsin and retirement.

Three years later, when Chang Tso-lin and Wu Pei-fu had their first summer war, the former attached Chang Hsun to his army and gave him command over two divisions. No doubt Chang Hsun was looking for revenge and also still harbored his vision of restoring the Manchu Dynasty. This war, however, was disastrous to his patron and Chang Hsun retired for good.

The other day the papers announced that Chang Hsung had passed away. He was a warrior of the old school, a relic of the past ages. He had risen from obscurity (some say he was a mule driver), a man who could neither write nor read. His soldiers were looked upon as the most savage of all China's military. At times men cursed him and his brood, but few had to guess his meaning for he usually said what he meant. He was not two-faced. His men have been scattered into other Tuchuns' armies. Soon after Chang Hsun's defeat at Peking there was a great queue cutting in Hsuchowfu. His men ceased their allegiance to royalty. Some of them have been disbanded and have swelled the ranks of the bandits in Shantung and north Kiangsu. Their great "Lao Kwei-Ti" is dead. Will there ever arise another like unto him?

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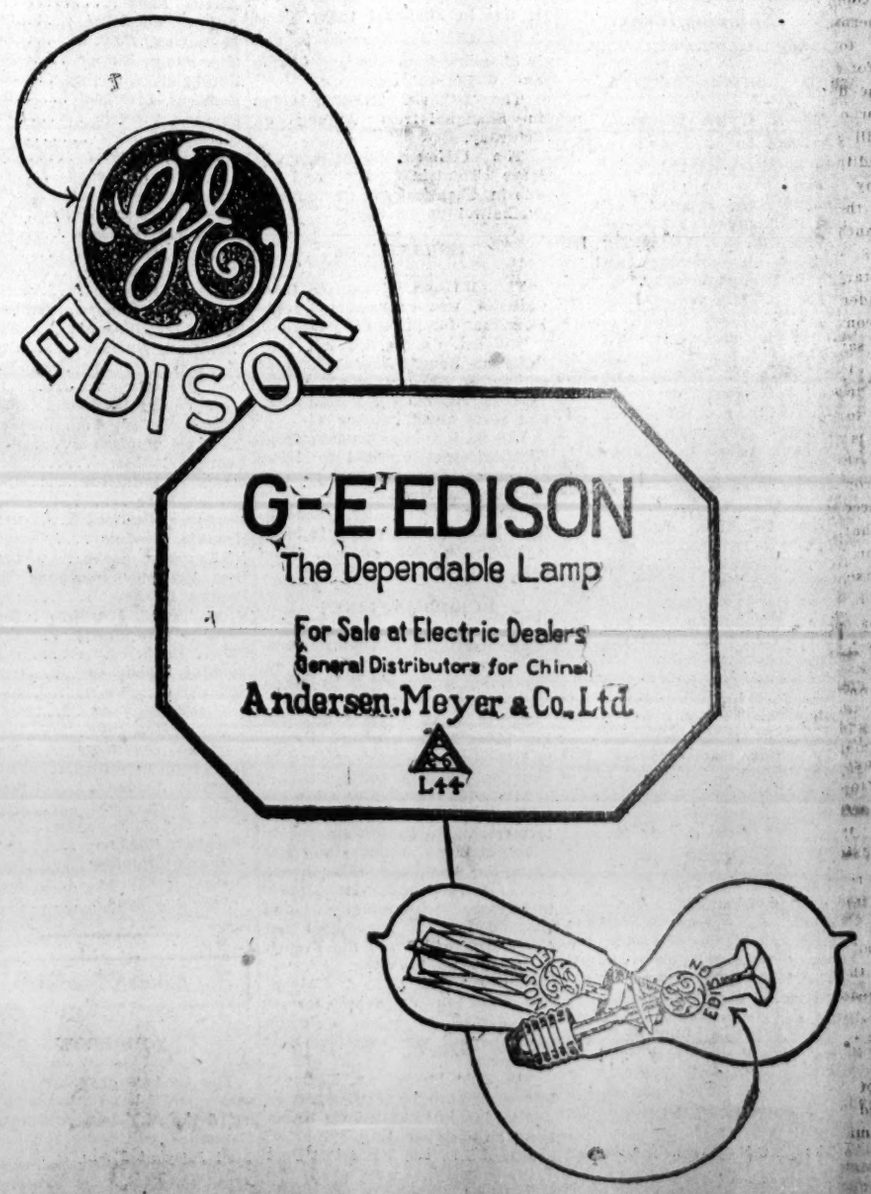

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 2,664 Tons, Captain Dowson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, Sept. 27, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passager Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGAN, Captain Ross, will leave on Thursday, Sept. 27, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, September 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

CHUNGKING DIRECT.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S. S. FUHWO, 953 Tons, Captain R. Hughes, will sail for the above-mentioned port from Old Ningpo Wharf on Sunday, September 30, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, October 1, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S. S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, October 2, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extension for Freight and Passenger Departments.

CHUNGKING DIRECT.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S. S. KINGWO, 617 tons, Capt. D. S. C. Williamson, will sail for the above-mentioned port from Old Ningpo Wharf on Wednesday, Oct. 3, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, October 4, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passager Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, October 5, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Thursday, Sept. 27, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Kiangshun left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Staurday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow this afternoon.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

NORTHERN PROTS

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang left Tsingtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Antung on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Gracchus, from Calcutta, was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The B.I. s.s. Torilla left Calcutta on Sunday morning, September 16, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about October 9.

The P. & O. s.s. Soudan, from Bombay, was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Monday.

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan, from Bombay, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday, October 2.

EUROPEAN LINES

The S.E. s.s. Ceylon, from Gothenburg, left Suez on September 6 and is due to arrive in Shanghai on October 5.

The M.M. s.s. Porthos was due to leave Marseilles on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about October 26.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenogle is due in Shanghai from London tomorrow.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise will sail from the Kiangnan Dock buoys for Marseilles via ports tomorrow morning, and the tender with passengers for the vessel will leave the French Mail jetty at 9 o'clock.

The P. and O. s.s. Kalyan, from London on September 6, is expected to leave Colombo for Shanghai via ports tomorrow afternoon.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eumaeus left Singapore on September 22 and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on October 1.

The N.D.L. s.s. Pfalz left Port Said on September 19 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 20.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Agapenor left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Atreus left Kobe on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa, from London on August 31, was expected to leave Colombo for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai last Monday.

The M.M. s.s. Angers, from Marseilles on August 24 with mail, should dock at Hongkong at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and is expected in Shanghai next Saturday.

The P. and O. s.s. Nellore arrived in Shanghai from London via ports yesterday afternoon, and docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf.

AMERICAN LINES

The S. & B. s.s. Mursa is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on October 2, and will sail for Manila direct on October 4.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Montague is due in Shanghai from Portland on October 1 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on October 3.

The Ad.l O. Line s.s. President Jefferson was due to leave Seattle on Sunday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on October 10.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Elkridge is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, on October 10, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on October 13.

The O.S.K. s.s. Arizona Maru, from America, left Dairen on Tuesday afternoon, and is to dock at the O. S. K. Wharf about 1 o'clock this afternoon. The liner will sail for the States on Sunday morning.

The S. and B. s.s. West Cactus is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles tomorrow, and will sail for Hongkong and Singapore next Sunday.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland, from San Francisco on September 20, was due to leave Honolulu yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Japan ports on October 10.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft, with mail, 2,000 tons of cargo and passengers from San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports, will arrive in Shanghai this evening, and is to dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf around 5 o'clock. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson, with 1,401 bags of mail, 2,600 tons of cargo and passengers as well from Seattle via Japan ports, will arrive in Shanghai tomorrow, and is to dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf around the noon hour. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Sunday noon.

Vessels Due

Arizona Maru,	*U.S.A.*	Sep. 27
Agapenor,	*Hankow*	Sep. 27
Atreus,	*Kobe*	Sep. 30
Angers	*Marseilles*	Sep. 29
Chungking,	*Hankow*	Sep. 27
Cap. Faure,	*Europe*	Sep. 29
Eurypylus,	*Liverpool*	Oct. 1
Eumaeus,	*Liverpool*	Oct. 1
Fausang,	*Tientsin*	Sep. 28
Glenogle,	*London*	Sep. 28
Gracchus,	*Calcutta*	Sep. 30
Hsin Peking,	*Ningpo*	Sep. 28
Hsin Ningshao,	*Ningpo*	Sep. 28
Hsin Kiangteen,	*Ningpo*	Sep. 27
Kiangshun,	*Hankow*	Oct. 4
Kumano Maru,	*Kobe*	Sep. 30
Kiangwah,	*Hankow*	Oct. 2
Kiangfoo,	*Hankow*	Oct. 1
Kungwo,	*Hankow*	Sep. 30
Kiangshin,	*Hankow*	Sep. 27
Kiangteen,	*Hankow*	Sep. 28
Kiangshun,	*Hankow*	Sep. 29
Luenho,	*Hankow*	Oct. 4
Liangchow,	*Hongkong*	Sep. 27
Luenyi,	*Hankow*	Sep. 30
Loongwo,	*Hankow*	Sep. 27
Luenho	*Hankow*	Sep. 29
Mursa,	*S. Francisco*	Oct. 2
Mantua,	*Kobe*	Sep. 28
Montague,	*Portland*	Oct. 1
Ngankin,	*Hankow*	Oct. 3
Nikko Maru,	*Osaka*	Oct. 3
Pres. McKinley,	*Hongkong*	Oct. 3
Poyang,	*Hankow*	Sep. 29
Pres. Taft,	*S. Francisco*	Sep. 27
Pres. Jackson,	*Seattle*	Sep. 28
Suiwo,	*Hankow*	Oct. 3
Sunning,	*Hongkong*	Oct. 3
Shuntien,	*Tientsin*	Sep. 30
Sinkiang,	*Tsingtao*	Sep. 27
Suiyang,	*Hongkong*	Oct. 1
Szechuen,	*Hongkong*	Sep. 29
Tungchow,	*Tientsin*	Oct. 3
Taksang,	*Antung*	Sep. 29
Taiyo, Maru,	*Kobe*	Sep. 29
W. Cactus,	*S. Francisco*	Sep. 28
Wuchang,	*Hankow*	Oct. 1
Woosung,	*Hankow*	Sep. 28
Yusang,	*Hongkong*	Sep. 27
Yungshin	*Ningpo*	Sep. 27

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Per I-C. s.s. Kutwo from Hankow and ports: Messrs. Hunt, Holmes, Youngson, Flynn, Mrs. F. H. Turner and child, Miss Chrisp, Mrs. F. Aaron, Miss R. Leris, Miss J. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. W. Morgan and two children, Mrs. S. P. Jorgensen and child, Messrs. E. Minney, N. S. Gatton.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. M. Duncan, E. W. Pederson, Payne: W. J. Leaby, Dabelsein, Miss Smith.

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin ..ingshao from Ningpo: Mr. R. E. Linnester.

Per C.M. s.s. Haean from Foochow: Miss Woodcock, Messrs. C. Gossett, Chas. L. Clarke.

Per C.N. s.s. Soochow from Hongkong: Mrs. and Miss Kerr.

Per C.N. s.s. Shengking from Tientsin: Mrs. Cochrane and two children, Misses Lemeire, Dawson, Rogers and child, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Taylor and family, Mr. E. D. Wisner, Lieut. R. W. V. Reeves.

Passengers Departed

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping for Chinwangtao: Messrs. Chilton, Anderson, Gordon Morriss, Dr. A. Bryson.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru for Kobe: Mrs. W. A. Walker, Mr. ann Mrs. G. Ewart, Mr. and Mrs. R. Jarno, Messrs. I. Shaffer, F. P. M. Ginly, Mrs. W. King.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangyung for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Chester and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Whatmough and child; for Kiukiang: Mr. Hale.

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President Grant	Sept. 11
President Madison	Sept. 22

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Pawlet	Sept. 1
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City of Boston	Aug. 21
Moorish Prince	Aug. 27
Antilochus	Aug. 30
William Penn	Sept. 1
Eelbeck	Sept. 4
Hawaii Maru	Sep. 5
Lisbon Maru	Sept. 7
Esther Dollar	Sept. 10
Atlas Maru	Sept. 11
Bowes Castle	Sept. 12
Bellerophon	Sept. 18
City of Bagdad	Sept. 20

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

City of Dunkirk	Aug. 22
Suwa Maru	Aug. 25
Durban Maru	Aug. 26
Agamemnon	Aug. 27
City of Glasgow	Aug. 29
Patroclus	Aug. 31
Macedonia	Sept. 4
Eurybates	Sept. 7
Fushimi Maru	Sept. 8
Lycaon	Sept. 12
Glensanda	Sept. 14
Kt. Templar	Sept. 16
Dongola	Sept. 18
Mentor	Sept. 20
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FOR HAMBURG

Matsuye Maru	Aug. 29
Saparoea	Sept. 6
Albert Voegler	Sept. 17
Ludwigshafen	Sept. 20

FOR COPENHAGEN

Java	Sept. 24

FOR BARCELONA

Isla de Panay	Sept. 4

FOR TRIESTE

Trieste	Sept. 1

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Emp. of Russia	Dec. 1	Dec. 17 1924	Emp. of A'tralia	Apl. 28	May 14
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Tsushima Maru .....Oct. 1
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Hakusan Maru .....Oct. 20

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Yoshino Maru .....Oct. 17
Aki Maru .....Nov. 14

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S.S. "TAISHIN MARU" ...(Via Tsingtao) ...Sept. 26
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ....(Via Tsingtao) .... Oct. 2
FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung and Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Sept. 23
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Sep.	Portland, Ore.	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep 30 —	New York	Perseus	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 30 —	Seattle	Arizona Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 3 —	Portland, Ore.	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 4 —	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 6 —	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Jap. T.K.K.
Oct. 6 —	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Oct. 8 —	Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 12 noon	San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 13 —	Portland, Ord.	Elkridge	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 13 —	San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 16 —	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 20 —	Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 20 —	Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 20 —	New York	Toba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 20 —	New York via Suez	Alcinous	Br. B. & S.
Oct 27 —	San Francisco	†P. Celeveland	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 28 —	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 29 —	San Francisco	Tenyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 3 —	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 8 —	Seattle	Iyo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Nov. 9 —	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 10 —	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Nov. 21 —	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 23 —	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
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Karmala .... Oct. 16	Kaiyan .... Nov. 27	Khiva .....Jan. 8
*Caledonia ..Oct. 30	Devanha .... Dec. 11	*Macedonia .Jan. 22

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CHILI	7th Sept.	14th Oct.	9th Nov.
PORTHOS	21st Sept.	28th Oct.	23rd Nov.
ANGKOR	5th Oct.	11th Nov.	7th Dec.

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Sep. 28 — Moji, Kobe	Nellore	Br. M. M. Co.
Sep. 29 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 30 — Kobe	Amur Marru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 1 — Kobe, Yokohama	Angers	Fr M. M. Cie
Oct. 3 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 6 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 10 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

Sep. 27 —	Hamburg, etc.	London Maru — Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 27 —	Hamburg, etc.	Pembrokeshire — Br. G.L.E.A.
Sep. 28 900	*Marseilles	†Amboise — Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 1 —	Calcutta	Takada — Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 1 —	Marseilles	Tsushima Maru — Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 2 —	Liverpool	Telamon — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 2 —	London	†Mantua — Br. M.M. & Co
Oct. 3 —	Marseilles, etc.	Kumano Maru — Jap. N. Y. K.
Oct. 4 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Agayenor — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 5 —	London	Hakozaki Maru — Jap. N. Y. K.
Oct. 7 —	Rotterdam, etc.	Kertosono — Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Oct. 7 —	Hamburg, etc.	Glenluce — Br. G.L.E.A.
Oct. 11 —	Hamburg, etc.	Phemius — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 12 —	Marseilles	†Cordilliere — Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 12 —	Bombay	Soudan — Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 15 —	Hamburg, etc.	Elpenor — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 16 —	Liverpool	Lyons Maru — Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 16 —	London	†Karmala — Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 20 —	Liverpool	Memnon — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 20 —	London	Hakusan M — Jap. N. Y. K.
Oct. 25 —	Hamburg, etc.	Atreus — Br. B.& S.
Oct. 26 —	Marseilles	†Angers — Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 27 —	Liverpool	Eurypylus — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 30 —	London—	†Caledonia — Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 1 —	London	Teiresias — Br. B.& S.
Nov. 8 —	Antwerp, etc.	Adrastus — Br. B. & S.
Nov. 11 —	Marseilles	†Chili — Fr. M. M. Cie
Nov. 13 —	London	†Malwa — Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 15 —	Liverpool	Oanfa — Br. B. & S.
Nov. 23 —	Marseilles	Porthos — Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 27	London	†Kalyan — Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 6 —	London	Sarpedon — Br. B. & S.
Dec. 11 —	London	†Devanha — Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 12 —	Marseilles	Angkor — Fr. M. M Cie
Dec. 25 —	London	†Kaiser-I-Hind — Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 8 —	London	†Khiva — Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 22 —	London	Macedonia — Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Oct. 6 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura — Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 3 —	Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans — Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 14 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Aki Maru — Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 —	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern — Br. M. M. & Co.

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Sep. —	Hongkong, Manila	Wawalona — Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 27 4.00	Ningpo	Yungshin — Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 27 4.00	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen — Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 27 D.L. S.	H'kong, C'ton	Waishing — Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 27 —	Wenchow	Feiching — Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 27 9.00	Foochow	Ningshin — Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Sep. 27 noon	Swatow	Chengtu — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28 5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Peking — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28 5.00	Ningpo	Tsin Ningshao — Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Sep. 28 2.30	Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft — Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 29 —	Manila, Hongkong	Taiyo M. — Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 28 noon	A. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28 noon	Amoy	Hanyang — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 29 1.00	S. Hongkong, Canton	Sinkiang — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 30 1.00	A. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 30 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson — Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 2 D.L. S.	Hongkong, Canton	Luchow — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 3 —	Hongkong, Manila	Montague — Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 4 —	Manila	Mursa — Am. S. & B.
Oct. 6 —	Hongkong	Manila Maru — Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 7 —	Hongkong	E. of Australia — Br. C. P. S.
Oct. 12 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson — Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 12 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland — Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Oct. 15 —	Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru — Jap. T.K.K.
Oct. 19 —	Hongkong	E. of Asia — Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 24 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant — Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 26 —	Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce — Am. P.M.S.S. Co

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Sep. —	Dairen, etc.	West Jena — Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 28 —	Tientsin	Kwangping — Br. K.M.A.
Sep. 27 D.L.	Tsingtao	Kwongsang — Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 27 D.L.	Antung	Esang — Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 27 noon	Chefoo, Tientsin	Chusan — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 27 —	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinfung — Chi. C.M.S.N Co.
Sep. 27 11.00	*W. C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing — Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 27 3.00	Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru — Jap. D.K.K.
Sep. 28 noon	Newchwang	Changchow — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 29 10.00	*W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 29 1.00	Tsingtao	Shantung — Br. B. & S.
Sep. 30 1.00	Newchwang, Dairen	Foochow — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 2 3.00	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien — Br. B. & S.
Oct. 4 —	Vladivostok	Shinyue — Chi. S. H. & Co.
Oct. 13 —	Dairen, etc.	Elkridge — Am. Lumber Co.

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Sep. 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 27	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28	noon Wuhu	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 28	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Sep. 28	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
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Sep. 29	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 30	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Klangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 30	M. N. Chungking	Fuwho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Klangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 1	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 2	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 2	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 3	M.N. Chungking	Kingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Oct. 3	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Klangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 3	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 4	M. N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Oct. 4	M. N. Hankow, etc.	Klangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Oct. 4	M. N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.

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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Sep. 29	5 p.m.	Arizona M.		
Oct. 4		P. McKinley	Seattle	Oct. 20

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	8 a.m.	London M.	Marseilles	
Sep. 28	8 a.m.	Amboise	Marseilles	Nov. 2
Oct. 2	9.30 a.m.	Manlua	Marseilles	Nov. 3

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Tsingtao	Today	8.30 a.m.	Kwongsang
Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Kwangping
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	10.30 a.m.	Chusan
Tsingtao & Dairy	Today	1 p.m.	Chohei Maru
Antung	Sep. 28	9.30 a.m.	Esang
Newchwang	Sep. 28	10.30 a.m.	Changchow
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 28	9.30 a.m.	Kingsing
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 29	8.30 a.m.	Fengtien
Tsingtao	Sep. 29	11.30 a.m.	Shantung
Newchwang & Dairy	Sep. 30	11.30 a.m.	Foochow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 a.m.	London M.
Swatow	Today	8.30 a.m.	Waishing
Wenchow	Today	9 p.m.	Felching
Swatow	Today	10.30 a.m.	Chengtu
Foochow	Today	8 p.m.	Ningshin
Amoy	Sep. 28	10.30 a.m.	Hanyang
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 28	8 a.m.	Amboise
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 28	12.30 p.m.	P. Taft
Amoy	Sep. 28	10.30 a.m.	Soochow
Swatow	Sep. 29	11.30 a.m.	Sinkiang
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 30	10 a.m.	P. Jackson

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	1 p.m.	Haruna Maru
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Sep. 28	12.30 p.m.	P. Taft
Japan ports	Sep. 29	10.30 a.m.	Yamashiro M.
Manila	Sep. 29	1 p.m.	Taiyo Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Sep. 30	10 a.m.	P. Jackson

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
	Sep. 24	Barker 213	Am. Destroyer
Mc W		Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
F.N.B.		Craonne	Fr. Gun-boat
1 C	Aug. 2	E. Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
	Sep. 24	J. D. Edwards 216	Am. Destroyer
B N B	Sep. 6	Foxglove	Br. Cruiser
	Sep. 25	Gen. Alava	Am. Gun-boat
	Sep. 25	Huron	Am. Cruiser
Y T P D	Sep. 12	Isabel	Am. Yacht
Mc W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
J C		Monocacy	Am. Gun-boat
	Sep. 24	Noa 343	Am. Destroyer
1 C	June 25	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
	Sep. 24	Rizal 14	Am. Destroyer
	Sep. 24	Stewart 224	Am. Destroyer
	Sep. 24	S. Thompson 212	Am. Destroyer
E E W		Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat
	Sep. 24	Tracy 214	Am. Destroyer
	Sep. 24	Whipple 217	Am. Destroyer
O D W	Aug. 20	Widgeon	Br. Gun-boat

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, SEPT. 27, 1923

The evening tide are higher than the morning tides, they are about equal at noon and midnight).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¾ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
1h. 17m.	6ft. 4in.	1h. 32m.	9ft. 8in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides.)
Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

	A.M.		P.M.	
	H.	M.	H.	M.
	0	19	0	35

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
7.16 a.m.	7.32 a.m.	5h. 51m.	5h. 51m.	5h. 6m.	6h. 36m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 29.90 in.
September 759.6 mm.

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Comprising:—

HALL.—Bevelled mirror back Hat & umbrella stand, tile top flower stands, coir mats, etc.
DRAWING ROOM.—Matting Rattan suite with cushions, table, standard lamp, flower stands, etc., etc.
DINING ROOM.—Carpet, Oak bevelled mirror back Sideboard, Silver ware cabinet, Extension dining tables, dining chairs, 4-fold Carved screen, matting, flower stand Standard lamps, Books, spring Couch & Arm chairs etc.
VERANDAH.—Wicker flower stands, chairs, spring sofa, wicker stands, Saddle, etc., etc.
BEDROOMS.—Matting, Carpet, Cream enamelled Oval bevelled mirror door Wardrobe, Dressing, Chest of drawers, Bevelled mirror door Wardrobe, bevelled mirror back dressing table, white enamelled Large wardrobe, bevelled mirror back dressing table, White enamelled twin single bedsteads, skin rugs, Child's iron cot, chairs, centre table, chairs, bedsteads, vases, ornaments, etc., etc.
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Bed Linens
Electric Oscillating fan

On view Thursday

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On Friday September 28th 1923,
Commencing at 10 a.m.
NEW EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & REQUISITES
Comprising:—

Oak dark stained Bevelled mirror back Hat stand, Hall Tables, Hall Seat, Jardiniere stands, Coat rack, Unpolished teak Flat top Desk. Revolving Desk chair, Sliding door Bookcase, Bookstand, Teak mahogany stained silk tapestry seated Drawing Room Suite, Teak 3 fold screen, Centre Table, Bevelled mirror back Music cabinet, Lady's Escritoire, Mahogany stained Morris Arm Chair & Rockers with tapestry Cushion, Chinese Blackwood side table, column stand, Teapoys, Double spring Couch & Arm Chairs, Unpolished Teak bevelled mirror back sideboard, Cellarette, Oval Dining Table, Leather seated Dining Chairs, E. P. Ware Cabinet, Leather upholstered Double spring Couch & Arm Chair, Good E. P., Cutlery, Crockery & Glass ware, Solid Brass Fender, Coal boxes, Fire Brasses, Peking Cloissone ware, Fancy Tea set, Fine Chinese Porcelains, 1 Suite Mahogany stained carved Bedroom suite, 1 Suite dark stained carved bedroom furniture fitted with oval bevelled mirror, Double and Single wooden bedstead with wire & other mattresses. New Elder down quilts, new woollen blankets, 12 new Brussels carpets, assorted sizes New Tientsin Carpets, Canteen set with oak case.

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Now On View

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On Saturday September 29th 1923,
Commencing at 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Including.

Mahogany stained chest of drawers, White enamel Wooden Bedstead, White enamel Chest of Drawers, Rattan Furniture, Hospital Beds, Mirror door Wardrobe, Mirror back Dressing table, Marble top Washstand, Hat stand, Mirror back sideboard, Dinner Wagon, Dining table & Chairs, Teapoys, Ice Chest, Overmantle, Silk Cushions, velvet Rugs, E. P. Ware, Suitings, Toilet soap, Iron Safe, Large flat top desk, Iron single & double bedsteads, Books, Pictures, "Dayton" Steel Racket, Wall clock, Hand made lace, Omega Watch, Cloisonne Napkin Rings,

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Boochara Woollen Carpet, 12 x 15
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On View Friday

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At No. 56 Route Doumer
On Thursday, Sept. 27th, 1923
Commencing
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
Excellent Household Furniture & Effects, etc.
Comprising:—

HALL:—Dark stained hat and umbrella stand, fire brass, coal scuttle, white painted rattan couch, arm chairs and side tables, brass and porcelain vase and ornaments, pictures, cretonne window curtains, etc.
DRAWING ROOM:—Manilla hardwood tapestry covered drawing room suit, inlaid tea table, cretonne covered easy chairs, gilt framed oil painting, pictures, cloisonne, bronze, and porcelain vases, writing table, desks, teakwood double document drawers, sliding door bookcases, cabinet, etc.
DINING ROOM:—Matting, fire brasses, teakwood, dining room furniture, silver ware cabinet, tapestry covered couch and easy chairs, flower stand, flue cut glass and E. P. ware, marble table clock, French porcelain, cloisonne, and bronze ware, jade ornaments, pictures, electric table lamp, etc.
4 BED ROOMS: — Overmantle, white painted bedroom suite, oakstained large bevel-edged mirror door wardrobe, dressing table, chest of drawers, sofa, rattan couch, arm chairs, double and single iron bedsteads, child cot, picture, high screen.
BATH ROOOM: — Bevel-edged mirror wall mirrors, toilet, crockery, kerosene oil stove, shoe cabinet, etc.

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Two Silver vases
One white bear skin
One riding suit, and furs,
One Persian shawl
One Set table linen for 24 persons
One Hornless gramophone
One Kodak
One "Singer" hand sewing machine
Pantry & Kitchen as usual

AND AT 12.15 SHARP
One 5-seater "Oldsmobile" touring car, 1921 model, 6-cylinder, engine recently overhauled.
Car in good condition; one spare wheel & tools.
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House Auction at No. 19 Route Doumer
Particulars will be announced later

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Will sell by Public Auction
AT NO. 19 ROUTE DOUMER
On Saturday, September 29th
At 10 a.m. (Forenoon)
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—

HALL:—Matting, hat and umbrella stand, side table, hall stove, pictures, etc.
DRAWING ROOM: — Tientsin carpets, white painted tapestry covered drawing room furniture, side table, mahogany stained silk tapestry covered couch and arm chairs, cabinet, centre table, rattan chair, pictures, oil painting, electric table lamp, ornaments, cretonne curtains, table covers, and sundries.
DINING ROOM: — Fire brass, mirror back sideboard, dining table and chairs, side table, writing table, arm chair, dinner crockery, E. P. and cutlery ware, electric table fan, lace curtains, pictures etc.,
5 BED ROOMS & BATH ROOMS: —Grey painted and oakstained inlaid bedroom furniture, double and single wooden and iron bedsteads, woollen blankets, cotton quilts, centre table, rattan chairs, pictures, ornaments, curtains, matting, etc.
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Financial And Commercial News

Money Exchange

Shanghai, September 26, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	72.3
Native Interest	11
Copper Cash	250.700
Shanghai Gold Bar	325
Bar Silver	32⅞
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	72.55
New York on London	456⅜
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer 3s.	1¼d.
Demand 3s.	1⅝d.
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	70¾
Demand	71

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3s. 1d.
London Demand	3s. 1⅛d.
London 4 m-s.	3s. 1¼d.
India (T.T.)	228½
France (T.T.)	1215
America (T.T.)	70
Hongkong (T.T.)	74⅛
Japan (T.T.)	69¼
Batavia (T.T.)	184½
Straits (T.T.)	76¼

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London 4 m-s. Credits.	3s. 2⅛d.
London 4 m-s. Docts.	3s. 2⅜d.
London 6 m-s. Credits.	3s. 3d.
London 6 m-s. Docts	—
France 4 m-s.	1275
America 4 m-s. L/c.	72¾
Docs.	73¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 72=Tls. 139.88
@ exch. 72.5=Mex. $191.56
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 2d.=Tls. 6.32
@ exch. 72.5=Mex. $8.72

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR SEPTEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.90	@ 3/0⅛	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.29	@ 69⅝	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1233	Fr. 13.74
Hk. Tls.1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 71⅛	Yen 1.57
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 227⅝	Rupees 2.58
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.87⅛	Ital. Lire 17.68

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	71
Demand buying on America	72
Demand selling on London	3/1⅛
Demand buying on London	3/2

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 500,000 ... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ... Mex. $0.03

CHINESE GOV. BONDS
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Monday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	57.00	57.00
7th Year 6%	46.00	46.00
9th Year 6%	70.20	70.00
6% Consolidated	51.30	51.00
7% Consolidated	55.50	55.50
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
96 Millions 8%	21.60	22.00

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 15.25=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.92=1 Tael
Marks 10,000,000=1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 98.50=1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 21.65=1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 134.50=100 Fr. Francs

PARIS-LONDON RATE
(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Sept. 25—The Paris-London cross rate is quoted today at £1—72.75 francs.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

September 26, 1923

Spot bar silver was down ⅛d. in London yesterday and forward ⅛d. as compared with Saturday's price. The New York price in the meantime has declined to 65¼ and the London-New York cross rate has improved to 455½.

At the opening our official quotations here were unchanged from these ruling on Monday last but as our market was weak, the Sterling rate was subsequently dropped to 3s. 1d., the Gold Dollar rate to 70½, the Yen rate raised to 69¾ and the other rates changed accordingly.

While our market here this morning was fairly steady at the opening, it eased off considerably during the day as speculators were good buyers. In the early part of the morning there were sellers of Sterling at .3s. 1½d. September, 2s. 1⅝d., October and 3s. 1¼d. November-December delivery. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at the same time at 71¼ for a near and forward deliveries.

At the close, however, there were good buyers of these rates with sellers of Sterling at ⅛d. and of Gold Dollars ¼ point lower. There were sellers of Yen at 68½ for near and forward deliveries and buyers at 68¼.

Banks were quoting 3s. 2d., 72¾ and 1165 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

India bought silver in London yesterday and China sold, the market closing steady. New York also report their market as steady.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, September 26, 1923
OFFICIAL
UNOFFICIAL
Shanghai Loans Tls. 7.55
Kedah Tls. 1.40
New Eng. (Ord.) Tls. 7.25
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 13.85 Dec

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,120
Chartered	£19½
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H. $630 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H. $228 S.
Yangtsze	H. $27
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H. $130 B.
Hongkong Fire	H $476½
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H. $129½ B
Indo-China Pref.	H. $28½ B.
"Shell"	72/6
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 80
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21¾
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H. $152 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 90
New. Eng. Works	Tls. 7.15 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.30 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 190 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H. $154 B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land.	Tls. 119½ B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 123
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 13.80
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 81 B.
Industrials	
Jutier Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$220 S.
Green Island	$28.30 S.
Langkats	Tls. 35½ S.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 92½
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	$6⅝ B.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$103 B.
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H. $21¾ B.
Weeks	$13
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7.40 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.35 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 7.05 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.30 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 24 B.
Batu Anam 1918	¼. 1.12½ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.85 B.
Bukit Toh Aling	Tls. 1¼ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.20 B.
Chembedak	Tls. 7 B.
Cheng	Tls. 1¾ B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.90 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2½ B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11
Java Consolidated	Tls. 14 B.
Kapaying	Tls. 12½ B.
Karan	Tls. 7 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.40 B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.30 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 17
Padang	Tls. 6.65 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.45
Permata	Tls. 3.60 B.
Repah	Tls. 1 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.95 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1¼ B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.47½ B.
Senawang	Tls. 1¼ B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.70 B.
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 5½ B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9½ B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.55 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 10 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 4.05 B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.75 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.72½ B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.85 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.55 B.
Ziangbee	Tls. 3.65 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 10 B.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 164 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 74
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 180 S.

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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1923

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5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

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A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order.

P. LEGENDRE
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